

## COULD GIVE UNIVERSITY \$5, 000, 000

THE NORTH INDIANA METHODIST CONFERENCE DELEGATES START CAMPAIGN FOR FUNDS FOR DEPAUW—RECOMMEND THE DISCONTINUANCE OF THE ACADEMY—PENSION FUND FOR RETIRED PROFESSORS.

## NEW BUILDINGS ARE NEEDED

South Bend, Ind., April 6.—Realizing the need of more buildings, larger equipment, more teachers and more endowments, the committee on creation of the North Indiana Methodist Conference in session at Mishawaka today recommended that the trustees, alumni and friends of DePaul University provide for equipment and resources of at least \$5,000,000.

The committee also recommended the discontinuance of Greencastle academy of Greencastle, Ind., because of an annual deficit of \$5,000. The campaign of Moores Hill College for an endowment of \$200,000 was approved and a movement was inaugurated to have Taylor University surrender its charter to the North Indiana Conference. A recommendation is also made that suitable pensions be allowed all retiring professors. The committee on prohibition and temperance asked the conference to call upon the Postoffice Dept. and on representatives in Congress to exclude from the mails all liquor advertising.

## Takes Temperance Stand.

The resolution was, in part, as follows: "We are encouraged to believe that the bill now pending looking to an amendment of the Federal Constitution prohibiting the manufacture and sale, the importation, exportation and transportation of the alcoholic liquors as a beverage were to be placed before the national Congress on its merits at this time it would carry by a majority of at least 3 to 1. We therefore urge upon our people the importance to press the matter to an early vote."

"We reaffirm the position of our general conference on this proposition. We recommend the militant, non-partisan activity of the Anti-Saloon League and pledge ourselves anew to it in every way in the battle for state-wide prohibition through the constitutional convention method and will do all in our power to aid it in organizing the counties of the state to its end."

"We are greatly honored by the fact that one of our own number, Dr. Madison Swadener, has taken such high rank as one of the leaders in his great movement, both in state and nation."

The finance committee's report included a resolution which puts a ban on all non-official appeals for financial assistance. Hereafter only those causes which bear official recognition of the church, namely disciplinary, benevolence and such other benevolent interests as are recognized by the annual conference, sustenance, Indiana Methodist Hospital and Home for the Aged at Warren, Ind. The Anti-Saloon League and Preachers' Aid Society may be presented from the pulpit of the conference. In those churches where the endowment campaign has not been completed the Preachers' Aid Society will, during the coming year, have the right of way.

## Urges Aid for Sentennial.

A resolution was adopted toward the publication of the history of the conference since its organization seventy-one years ago. Of importance also was the adoption of a report urging Methodists of the state to join in the celebration of the state centennial. To that end the appointment of a committee made up of seven ministers and seven laymen was authorized.

On account of the inability of some of the regularly drawn petit jurors to serve Sheriff Boes Tues. summoned the following men to appear in Putnam County Court Thursday to fill the places on the jury of those who have been excused: Charley Ewan, Greencastle; Joe B. Hammond, Greencastle; Timothy Long, Washington township; and Mac Jones, Ralph Smith and Joel Brookshire, all of Greencastle township.

## JENSEN LOSES TO STATE CHAMP

Otto Jensen, Terre Haute's champion pool player, lost to Jean Henning, state champion pool player, by a total of 45 balls in the championship tournament played in the Stoner pool room in Greencastle Monday afternoon and night. The final score stood 250 to 205 in favor of Henning. In the afternoon Jensen should have won the block. He was 38 balls ahead of his opponent when he scratched three times, forfeiting 14 balls. Again he was within two of the required 125, with his opponent six to go, when he missed an easy ball. This slip gave Henning his needed chance and he went out. The block ended 123 to 125 for champion.

In the last block played last night Henning was easily the winner. He ran off from the Terre Haute lad at the beginning and remained in the lead. Jensen played in hard luck, losing many easy shots. The score stood 125 to 81 against Jensen. The best single run was made by Jensen, being 25 balls in the afternoon block. Ralph H. White, sporting editor of a Terre Haute newspaper, refereed the match. The score follows:

First block:  
Jensen—3 2 1 7 1 0 25 18 16 0 5 8  
16 0 1 8 0 6 15 0—123.  
Henning—11 3 8 5 5 4 14 2 23 16  
2 5 6 7 1 0 4 1—125.  
Second block:  
Jensen—12, 14 0 12 8 0 1 0 0 13 11  
2—81.  
Henning—17 6 13 13 13 7 0 3 6 14  
10 4 13 12—125.  
Totals—Jensen, 205; Henning, 250.  
Before the match game Henning gave an exhibition of fancy pool shots. A large crowd saw the contest.

## FUNERAL OF THOMAS BROADSTREET

The funeral of Thomas H. Broadstreet, whose death occurred suddenly Saturday morning when he was stricken with an attack of heart trouble, while on an interurban car near this city, was held at the Stilesville Baptist church Tuesday afternoon at 1 o'clock. Rev. C. L. Airhart of this city conducted the funeral services. Short services were held at the Broadstreet home at Coatesville this morning at 10 o'clock. Rev. Harvey Oliphant, pastor of the Coatesville Baptist church, officiated. The interment was in the Stilesville cemetery.

## SUDDEN DEATH OF MRS. ELIZA RAGLAND WEDNESDAY

The death of Mrs. Eliza Ragland occurred suddenly Wednesday at 2 o'clock when she was stricken with heart trouble at her home 9 miles north of the city, and succumbed before medical attention could be summoned. She was 62 years old. The funeral will be held at the Ragland home Friday morning at 11 o'clock. Rev. C. L. Airhart of this city will conduct the funeral services. The interment will be in the Brick Chapel cemetery.

Mrs. Ragland was one of the well-known and respected residents of the county. She is survived by a husband, John Ragland and two daughters: Mrs. Christopher Crodian and Mrs. Bain Ellis.

## Aged Couple Wed.

The marriage of Conrad Lehman, age 71 of near Fern and Mrs. Ellen Rogers, age 66, the widow of the late Jacob Rogers of Washington township, occurred at the private office of County Clerk A. J. Hamrick's office this morning about 9:30 o'clock. Justice of Peace Phillip Frank performed the ceremony. They will make their home on a farm near Fern.

## MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Conrad Lehman and Mrs. Ellen Rogers, both of Putnam county.  
Otho Ruark, of Fern and Miss Alta E. Shaner, of Greencastle.  
Walter G. Hammond and Miss Iva M. Davis, both of Greencastle.

The condition of Frances Hutcheson, the 5-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hutcheson, of Washington township, who caught her hand in a corn sheller several days ago and received severe injuries, is much better. The girls' hand was badly mangled and it was necessary to amputate one finger.

## SEED POTATOES—A car of the best

selected seed potatoes. From Wisconsin and Minnesota—not cold storage. Call at the store and get prices. Etter & Cooper, northeast corner square, Greencastle, Indiana. Phone 314.

## TRACTION CAR STRIKES TWO; ONE NOW DEAD

CHARLES MONTGOMERY, AGE 50, OF COATESVILLE, IS KILLED AND PAUL BRANDENBURG OF LEBANON IS SERIOUSLY INJURED IN ACCIDENT JUST EAST OF GREENCASTLE AT NOON WEDNESDAY—INJURED MAN BROUGHT HERE.

## WERE WALKING ON TRACKS

Charles Montgomery, age 50, of Coatesville, was killed, and Paul Brandenburg, age 20 years, of Lebanon, was perhaps fatally injured at 11:55 a. m. Wednesday, at interurban stop 27, just east of Greencastle, when they were hit by eastbound traction freight car No. 155, known as the "Cannon ball." Montgomery was dead when the members of the car crew picked him up. Brandenburg, who is suffering a broken right ankle, a broken jaw, a bad scalp wound and a deep laceration on the left ankle, was unconscious when picked up. The body of Montgomery and the injured man were brought to Greencastle on the car which struck them.

The accident in which the men were struck was a peculiar one. The men were members of a bonding gang which has been working out of Greencastle for about three weeks. Brandenburg lived at the Crawford hotel. The work of the gang was to go along the track and braze the connections between the steel rails.

The two men were walking east on the traction tracks, one on each end of the ties, when the car came behind them. A westbound freight train on the Vandalia, which railroad parallels the traction line, was coming toward the men and they evidently were watching it and did not notice the approach of the traction car behind them. The railroad train was making so much noise that they did not hear the warnings of the traction car.

The crew of the freight car, O. W. White of Indianapolis, conductor; G. W. Storm of Indianapolis, motorman, and Frank Trees, an extra, state that the motorman sounded his whistle, rang his bell and gave ample warning, but that the men walking on the tracks paid no attention to the warnings.

When the motorman saw that they did not hear his warnings he reversed his motor and did everything possible to stop his car, but to no avail. When the car struck the men, one was thrown to each side of the right-of-way. The motorman stopped the car and the crew ran to the aid of the men. Montgomery was dead when they reached him and Brandenburg was unconscious. Injuries of the skull probably caused the death of Montgomery.

The freight motorman then ran his car to the car used by the bonding gang a little way east and secured the assistance of the members of the crew, who went back with him and assisted in placing the body of the dead man and the injured man in the freight car. The other members of the crew had telephoned for orders and were instructed to run the car to Greencastle.

Dr. Walter Hutcheson and Dr. Jerome King met the car and took the injured man to the Crawford hotel where he was given first aid. He was placed on a cot and taken to the hospital in Indianapolis on the first car. The body of Montgomery was taken to the Hanna Undertaking establishment and prepared for burial.

## MAY APPEAL THE MARY A. WYANT DAMAGE SUIT

Attorneys Allee, James & Allee, and Hays & Murphy, who represented Mrs. Mary A. Wyant, of St. Louis, in the damage suit against the Terre Haute, Indianapolis & Eastern Traction Co., which came to a sudden end in the Hendricks County Court Wednesday afternoon, when Judge George Brill instructed the jury to find a verdict for the defendant, probably will appeal the case to the higher courts.

## NEW STREET COMMISSION IS NAMED BY COMMITTEE.

The Greencastle council committee on public works has announced the appointment of Robert Pierce to succeed Charley Black as street commissioner. Mr. Black, who has served efficiently since the first of the year, resigned as commissioner that he might accept an offer made him by Green Parker, the contractor, for whom Mr. Black has worked for several years. The change in commissioner took effect Monday.

## ASKS \$11,000 AS RENTAL FOR CITY HYDRANTS

GREENCASTLE WATER WORKS COMPANY WOULD INCREASE PRICE NOW BEING PAID \$6,700—WOULD BE HALF OF AMOUNT ANNUALLY RAISED BY TAXATION—UTILITIES COMMISSION HEARING PETITION.

## AN INCREASE IS PROBABLE

Should the contentions of the Greencastle Water Works Company that its plant valuation be fixed at \$180,000 and that the company be allowed to fix the rates so that it would pay a 6 per cent valuation on its investment be upheld by the Indiana Public Utilities Committee, the Greencastle City water rentals alone would cost Greencastle approximately \$11,000, which is one-half of the revenue now derived by taxation to pay the cost of operating the city.

Greencastle now spends about \$22,000 a year. The water rentals paid by the city, which consists of fire department hydrant rentals is approximately \$4,300. Evidence given by General Manager MacCallum, who was a witness for the Water Works Company at the hearing before the Utilities Commission in Indianapolis, Wednesday, stated that the city should pay \$11,000 hydrant rentals.

This is an example of what the Greencastle Water Works Company is asking in its petition for an increase in rates in Greencastle. The company places the value of its plant at \$180,000. And in the valuation of its property the Greencastle Water Works Company is fixing the values amply high. For instance it asks that the "going value"—which is nothing more than "good will"—be valued at \$30,000.

Mr. MacCallum, the general manager of the company, has been on the witness stand virtually all of the time since the hearing of the case was begun on Monday. The hearing is being held in the utilities room on the third floor of the State House, Judge James L. Clark, one of the commission members being in charge of the hearing. The morning sessions begin at 10 o'clock and hold until noon. The afternoon session begins at 2 o'clock and holds until 5 o'clock.

The city of Greencastle, which is represented by City Attorney F. M. Lyon, Thad Peck and Mr. Watts, an expert witness and water works man, will introduce several witnesses to prove that the valuation on the lands and buildings are placed entirely too high by the company. Ferd Lucas, Charley Siddons, Alec Lane and others will be used to prove this. Mayor Cooper and some of the councilmen are attending the trial.

It is believed that the case will be concluded by Friday but the commission probably will not make its finding for several weeks. Those who have been attending the hearing believe that the Utilities Commission will not ask the valuation of the plant nearly as high as the company has asked, but they do believe that the rates here will be increased.

After the testimony of Mr. MacCallum has been completed the city will place its witnesses on the stand. Mr. Watts, the expert, will be the last man to testify for the city. It is believed his testimony will be very effective as he is well acquainted with water works values.

James Daggy, who was superintendent of the construction when the water works plant was built, Alonzo Day and Charley Siddons were among those who went to Indianapolis today to testify for the city in the case.

## BIG DAMAGE SUIT TRIAL THURSDAY

The case of Benton Van Hise, of Brazil, against the Terre Haute, Indianapolis & Eastern Traction Co., in which \$6,000 damages is asked, was called for trial in the Putnam Circuit Court on Thursday. Mr. Van Hise, who resides in Brazil, is asking damages of the company for injuries received by his daughter, Nadine Van Hise, in an accident at the Big Walnut bridge, west of town, on July 9, 1911. The case was first filed in Clay county but was brought to Greencastle on a change of venue.

Miss Van Hise, who at the time of the accident, was 16 years old, had with about twenty other young Brazil people gone to a picnic on Walnut creek. After a day of fun they were ready to take a car to their home. Miss Van Hise was in the middle of the bridge over the creek when a passenger traction car approached. Miss Van Hise ran in an attempt to get off the bridge but was struck and knocked down by the car and severely injured.

The father alleges that her injuries prohibit her from continuing her work as piano layer in a moving picture show and asks \$3,000 damages on this ground. He also asks \$3,000 damages for her injuries, which he alleges are permanent. Allee, James & Allee are the local attorneys for Miss Van Hise.

## FIRE DEPARTMENT HEADQUARTERS ARE BEING CLEANED UP.

The members of the Greencastle fire department have been attacked by the "spring house cleaning" germ, which is prone to attack the housewife at about this season of the year. As the boys care for their own quarters, the germ attacked the boys. The quarters had not been repared for a long time and the sleeping room was in a very bad condition. The old carpet has been torn up, the wood-work and floor scrubbed and the walls repared. A new carpet will be laid and the building will be like new when the boys complete their work. The work of cleaning up is being done by the members of the department. "Buddy" Huffman is paper hanger in chief. His three assistants, Charley Cooper, Charley Vanvactor and Raymond Duncan are proving to be most efficient.

## FILMORE H. S. BUILDING WILL NOT BE ENLARGED.

At a meeting of the advisory board of the public schools of Marion township Tuesday, it was decided that the proposed addition to the high school building at Filmore would not be erected. The cost of the building which was estimated Tuesday would be more than would be advisable to invest in the one school.

An architect from Indianapolis was present at the meeting of the advisory board and an estimate of the cost of the proposed addition to the building was made. It was decided that the cost of the erection of the addition proposed would be more than would be advisable. With the proposed addition the school would have been one of the best in this section of the state.

## 1474 BARN FIRES, IN PERIOD OF EIGHT MONTHS.

More than 1,474 barns have either been totally or partially destroyed by fire throughout Indiana during the first eight months since the establishment of the fire marshal's office. The total loss resulting is given by the fire marshal as \$1,158,544, practically all of which is borne by the farmers of the state.

Lightning leads all other sources of barn fires, according to the fire marshal's report. More than 510 losses were the result of this cause alone. At least 43 of all Indiana barn fires are given as occurring from unknown causes.

Among the other sources of barn fires, as announced by the fire marshal, are:

Adjoining	159
Child with matches	57
Burning rubbish	63
Sparks from chimney	36
Sparks from locomotive	35
Spontaneous combustion	34
Incendiary	29
Careless smokers	26
Carelessness with matches	18
Fireworks	16
Asbes against wood	15
Defective wiring	10
Kerosene lamp	5
Defective flue	5
Tramps	3
Gasoline stove	2
Hot iron	1
Kerosene explosion	1
Defective stove	1
Scot burning	1
Incubator	1

The total value of the buildings and contents upon which barn fires occurred is given by the fire marshal as \$1,560,657.

## DECLARES THUGS WERE DEPUTIES AT TERRE HAUTE

PATROLMAN STATIONED AT VOTING PLACE SPRINGS SURPRISE IN ROBERTS TRIAL BY DESCRIPTION OF "STEALING" OF POLL BOOKS FROM REPUBLICAN CHECKER—WITNESS'S STORY IS CORROBORATED IN DETAILS BY MINISTER, WOMAN AND MEN WHO POSED AS PROGRESSIVES.

## NAMES MEN AS CHARACTERS

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., April 7.—After introducing a mass of evidence corroborating the confession of John Roper, indicted as co-conspirator with Donn M. Roberts to commit election frauds, the prosecution in the trial of Roberts this afternoon sprang a surprise with the introduction of Patrolman Jesse Dunbar, who not only gave evidence affirming much of Roper's testimony, but also told a startling story of the work of special deputy sheriffs.

Branding the deputy sheriffs as "gunmen and thugs," Patrolman Dunbar declared the Republican poll book in Precinct H of the First Ward was stolen. Dunbar said he could not arrest the men, as they flashed their badges of office when he attempted to interfere. Patrolman Dunbar was on the witness stand about an hour and in cross-examination his story was not shaken. Dunbar testified that during the afternoon an automobile loaded with gunmen and thugs invaded the precinct, brandishing revolvers and threatening trouble.

## Adds to False Names.

After the corroborative evidence was submitted the state again began checking up the registrations in Precinct H of the First Ward, David Glemow, an investigator, telling the result of his investigations. Altogether, the state showed that more than 125 falsely registered names were placed on the registration book, some from vacant houses, vacant lots and fictitious addresses, while several were registered from a park, the Root glass factory and the Loudon Packing Company's plant.

Dunbar was asked to tell the story in his own way of the methods used at the polls where he was stationed.

"There was a great deal of voting, for one thing," he said. "Several women came down about 10 o'clock in the morning and stayed there the rest of the day. Roper and the women did not seem to get along very well. Hilton Redman came down. Redman said he was a deputy sheriff. I saw him talking to one of the women. Finally I had to tell him I would run him in if he did not behave."

"Yes, Jean Jeffers took it, but I do not know what he did with it."

"Who was the party of thugs?"

"Speck" Mohan, Jean Jeffers, Earl Jeffers, Joe Jeffers, Tom Raider and Wes Godfrey."

"Do you know these men?"

"Yes. They are all police characters and thugs. Godfrey is in jail most of the time. The three Jeffers men live in Taylorville and Raider hangs around a saloon in the West End."

"Where does Godfrey live; has he any home?"

"His home is mostly at the jail. The rest of the time it is under his hat, Godfrey is in jail now."

"When these men stole the poll book, what did they do?"

"They got in the auto and drove away."

"Did any of them live in that precinct?"

"No."

Attorney Inman, on cross-examination, tried to assail the witness by referring to the witnesses' attitude toward former Mayor Gerhardt. Dunbar said he voted for Roberts at the last city election, after the defense had failed to connect the patrolman with John E. Lamb.

## Others Support Story.

The state presented a mass of corroborative evidence in substantiation (Continued on Page Four.)



## LITTLE CASH SECURED BY THE BURGLAR

ROBBER, WHO FORCES ENTRANCE TO THE GREENCASTLE PRODUCE COMPANY OFFICE IN NORTH GREENCASTLE WEDNESDAY NIGHT, FOUND ONLY 35c. IN CASH DRAWER—SAFE AND DESK RIFLED.

## LOCKS ARE BROKEN OFF

The Greencastle Produce Company's office on north Jackson street was entered by a robber some time Wednesday night and the safe and cash drawer was rifled of their contents. The thief forced an entrance to the office by breaking the locks on the front door of the building. Only 35c. was obtained from the cash drawer.

A Yale lock and a common padlock were broken off the door of the building by the robber. The door to the office was not locked and the robber had no trouble in getting to the cash drawer after his entrance to the building.

The safe is not in working order and Roy Ragan, manager of the Produce company, had carried the money from the day's receipts home with him. The safe was opened and the small cash box was forced open with some sharp instrument. When the thief did not find any cash or valuables in the safe he pried the top off a desk and secured 35 cents from a cash drawer in the desk.

The lock on the watchman's shanty at the Monon crossing on Jackson street was broken Wednesday night and the local police are inclined to believe that the thief secured the tools with which to break in the Produce company's office at this place. No tools were left in the office of the building that was robbed.

The matter was reported to the local police as soon as the robbery was discovered by Mr. Ragan this morning. This is the second robbery that has occurred during the last few days. The home of Mr. Ragan, manager of the Produce company was entered by a thief last Saturday afternoon and a pair of trousers were stolen.

## LOCAL MOTORCYCLE AGENT ENTERTAINS ENTHUSIASTS.

The owners of motorcycles and enthusiasts of Putnam county were entertained with a dinner party at the McAnally Restaurant on the west side of the square Wednesday evening by Leslie Vandament, a local agent for the two-wheeled machines. On account of the weather conditions many out-of-town people were unable to be present for the event and only about thirty were in attendance.

The motorcycle enthusiasts met in the rooms occupied by Mr. Vandament with is motorcycle agency on the west side of the square and several machines were demonstrated to the guests. John E. Hogg of the Hendee Manufacturing Co., of Springfield, Mass., makers of the Indian motorcycle, was present and assisted in demonstrating the make of machines sold by the local agent.

The dinner was served in the McAnally Restaurant about 8:30 o'clock. Each of the forms of "eats" were designated by the names of the various parts of the two-wheeled machines. Short talks were given by Mr. Hogg and Mr. Vandament. The advisability of the reorganization of the Putnam County Motorcycle club was discussed. A call meeting will be held soon and the club will organize and elect officers for the coming year. The membership of the club will be about 100 and promises to be one of the most progressive organizations in this section of the state. Several club runs will be made to the neighboring towns this summer.

## Jackson Township.

A statement that I would favor the petitioning of school teachers, should I be elected Representative, has been circulated during the past week. I desire to state that this statement is absolutely without foundation and is absolutely false. If this rumor was started by opposition to me in my race for Representative it should and do doubt will react against them. I ask the support of the Democrats of Putnam County in my race and will appreciate your support at the primary election next Friday.

James W. Wright.

Chas. Vanvactor, a member of the Greencastle fire department, stopped a runaway about noon Thursday near his home on Liberty street. A team of mules owned by A. M. Love, who lives near Brick Chapel, which was tied near the Greencastle garage, broke loose and started to run away. In breaking away both mules had gotten on the same side of the wagon tongue and so could not run very fast. Vanvactor stopped the team and held it until the driver arrived.

## THINKS MANY CRIMINALS ARE MENTAL DEFECTIVES

"Efficient Causes of Crime" was the subject of an address delivered by Rufus Bernard von KleinSmid, associate superintendent and director of department of clinical research, Indiana reformatory, Jeffersonville, before the students of the Indiana Medical college today.

"A student in the field of criminology is confronted by a great diversity of opinion and extreme and opposing views," said Mr. KleinSmid. "It is said that the conclusions heretofore reached have come largely from empirical sources alone, rather than from scientific investigations, and that the extreme positions held are those dictated by the angles from which penal and correctional problems have been approached. In general these theories may be grouped into four numbers.

### Four Theories Outlined.

"The first is that, to a greater or less extent, every man is guilty of crimes—the detection, conviction and sentence of some avoided only because concomitant circumstances.

"The second is that all criminals are vicious men and consequently it is the duty of society to hunt them out in order to mete out to them that degree of punishment appointed by legislation for the particular crime committed.

"Another view is that transgressors of the law would be very few in number, if any, except for the peculiar and dominating environment.

"A fourth conclusion is that all criminals are defective and that no man of normal mental and physical status commits a crime.

### Many Criminals Defective.

"While the truth is not to be found exclusively in any one of these theories it is not at all unlikely that there is a considerable element of soundness in all. However, just as surely as we discover from a clinical study of the individual that the probable cause of his downfall rests in his constitutional inferiority we shall find it necessary to lay the blame for his condition in large part at the door of short-sighted society and her institutions.

"Returns from reliable sources will go to prove that fully 50 per cent. of the inmates of our penal and correctional institutions are subnormal mentally, the range and degree of defectiveness including the insane, alcoholic, drug fiends, epileptics and feeble minded. While this group representing approximately 50 per cent. of our prisons and reformatories is disposed of comparatively easily, the remaining inmates, sharing with the subnormal many of the mental and psychic stigmata peculiar to the criminal class, form a group which furnish a problem of the greatest complexity. Anomalies of intellect, emotion and will are everywhere presenting themselves for analysis."

### Punishment No Cure.

"Responsibility for crime in the manifestly subnormal is quite out of the question. These will always be mere children and require a guardianship, the perpetuity of their kind among us is quite entirely a matter of eugenics.

"This doubtless accounts for the fact that punishment can not cure the criminal crime. It is foolish to insist that punishment deters the criminal even from repeating his crimes. Surely there is no fact that more clearly proved to the criminologist than this one. Treatment, not punishment, is what is needed, good, intelligent, sympathetic and scientific treatment under the best conditions and by the best advised scientists that can be secured for the work.

"Instead of indulging in expressions of sentimental regard for the unfortunate offenders, society should rather give herself to the investigation of those tolerated and even encouraged practices which everywhere are shown to be those agencies that contribute to the perpetuity and to the multiplication of the criminal class.

### Duty of Society.

"Society has a duty to perform by the children of disorganized homes. Of a total of 416 new arrivals at the reformatory last year, 246 came from broken families, and approximately this same proportion has been maintained throughout the last ten years. That is to say, that 60 per cent. of the criminal class as represented by the boys of our institution have not had the possibility of normal family training.

"Again, society not only harbors but seeks to profit by such agencies as prey upon the weaknesses of the weak. Fifty-nine per cent. of the inmates received within the last six years were users of intoxicating liquors, eighty per cent. used tobacco in one form or another, while 50 per cent. were addicted to the use of cigarettes."—Indianapolis News.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Conyers left Saturday for Anderson where they will make their future home. Mr. Conyers was formerly Miss Bertha Thornburg, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Lewman of this city.

## ROB STORE WHILE BARN IS BURNING

ROBBER TAKES ADVANTAGE OF ABSENCE OF CLOVERDALE MAN FROM HIS RESTAURANT AND SECURES \$300 IN MONEY WHILE ED CLEARWATERS IS ASSISTING IN FIGHTING A FIRE—DOOR TO BUSINESS ROOM IS BROKEN DOWN.

## BARN BURNED TO GROUND

During the absence of Edward Clearwaters of Cloverdale from his grocery store and restaurant at about 8 o'clock Saturday night a robber broke a rear door to the store and breaking into the cash drawer secured between \$25 and \$35 in money and a check for \$10.

The robbery and fire caused great excitement in the little town for several hours and many weird and sensational rumors were circulated.

It was about 8 o'clock when the news that a barn owned by Alec McCoy in the north part of town was afire. Immediately someone telephoned the Putnam Electric company plant in Greencastle to turn off the Cloverdale electric lights as the main wires of the system passed through the alley on which the burning barn was located.

The town being in darkness all business was suspended the merchants leaving their places of business and going to assist in fighting the fire.

There is little doubt but that the fire originated from sparks from "corn silk" cigarettes, several boys having been smoking around the barn that evening. When the people reached the barn the entire room was ablaze and the roof was about to fall in.

Ralph Sandy, although many persons warned him not to take the risk, rushed into the burning building and cutting the halter strap of the only horse in the barn, got it out in safety. Virtually everything else in the barn was burned. Two other barns nearby caught fire from sparks but the crowd managed to extinguish the flames before any damage had been done.

When the crowd returned to town Mr. Clearwaters discovered that his grocery store and restaurant had been broken into and robbed. When the electric current went out Mr. Clearwaters lighted his store with an oil lighting system. Then he locked his store doors and went to the fire.

Although many of the other business men had left their doors unlocked only Mr. Clearwater had lighted up his store, before going to the fire. The robber evidently had broken down the rear door to store by throwing his entire weight against it, for the door was broken in. He then had taken a shovel and pried the cash drawer under the counter and taken the money, which mostly was silver. Another cash drawer in which there was about \$50 in bills was not broken open.

As soon as the news of the robbery was learned rumors of the wildest nature began to circulate. One was that a gang of robbers had started the fire in order that they might rob the downtown stores while the men were fighting the fire. Another was that a man, who had been prosecuted in Cloverdale, had returned to get revenge. There was no evidence to substantiate the rumors, however.

Hardly had the town settled down from the excitement when a woman rushed into the moving picture show and announced that the residence of Albert Grissom, in north Cloverdale, was afire. This again started wild excitement, and it is said that a stampede in the theater was narrowly averted. The house, which was near the McCoy barn, had evidently caught fire from a spark from the barn fire, however. The blaze was extinguished before much damage was done.

Sheriff Boes and the local officers were notified of the robbery and a search for the robbers was made but no arrests were made. The Cloverdale people are of the opinion that a Cloverdale person was the robber.

### W. M. MCGAUGHEY

Physician and Surgeon.

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Miss Louise Allee left Tuesday for Danville, Ill., where she will visit relatives for several weeks.

## GREENCASTLE GOLF CLUB ORGANIZED

FIFTEEN LOCAL MEN MEET IN OFFICE OF BEN S. CORWIN FRIDAY EVENING AND FORM ORGANIZATION FOR ATHLETIC RECREATION — TWENTY-FIVE CHARTER MEMBERS.

## TO BUILD COURSE AT ONCE

Greencastle has a golf club. The organization of the club was perfected on Friday evening in the office of Ben S. Corwin, when fifteen DePauw University and Greencastle business and professional men met to discuss plans for the forming of the club. Although only fifteen men were present at the meeting, ten others had informed Mr. Corwin that, although they could not be present, they desired to be enlisted as members of the organization.

The first part of the evening was devoted to an informal discussion of the project after which it was agreed that the club should be organized. Prof. N. Waring Barnes was chosen president of the club and Fred L. O'Hair was chosen secretary and treasurer.

A committee consisting Dean R. G. McCutchan, E. B. Taylor and Heber Ellis was selected to have charge of the grounds have a course built. Another committee consisting Prof. W. W. Sweet, Chas. Barnaby and O. F. Overstreet was chosen to prepare a constitution and by-laws for the organization.

The twenty acre tract of land on east Franklin street on which the DePauw Observatory stands, which land is owned by DePauw University, has been secured for a links. The annual rental for the grounds will be \$25. There is ample room for a good nine hole course and work at building it will begun at once. It is believed that the grounds will be ready by the first of May.

Each charter member subscribed \$3 for a fund to be begin work on the grounds. The amount of monthly dues and other financial arrangements will be figured out by the committee which has in charge the preparing of the constitution and by-laws.

The list of charter members of the club is as follows:

R. G. McCutchan.  
W. W. Tucker.  
Heber Ellis.  
O. F. Overstreet.  
W. W. Sweet.  
C. H. Barnaby.  
E. T. Hiltson.  
G. R. Grose.  
Prof. Nicholson.  
H. J. Barnum.  
E. Coss.  
C. C. North.  
J. F. Cannon.  
C. C. Gillen.  
B. F. Corwin.  
E. B. Taylor.  
N. W. Barnes.  
S. A. Hays.  
C. J. Arnold.  
Henry Ostrum.  
S. C. Sayers.  
W. M. Blanchard.  
Frank Donner.

The death of O. M. Coffing, a former resident of this city, occurred at his home in Crawfordville Friday evening at 5 o'clock. His death was caused from tuberculosis from which he has been a sufferer for several months. The funeral was held at the home at Crawfordville Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The interment was in the Vandersburg cemetery. Mr. Coffing is survived by a wife and five children, who are Mrs. McKim Duncan of this city, Earl Coffing, Edna Coffing, Floyd Coffing and Ruby Coffing of Crawfordville. He formerly resided here and was employed at the J. L. Hamilton music store on Indiana street. He moved to Crawfordville two years ago.

Vic J. Foster, advance agent for the Mighty Haag Circus, was in this city Saturday closing up contracts for his show which will be in Greencastle on Saturday, May 2. The show will show on the Sunset hill circus lot.

The Fifth District Club Federation meeting promises to be one of unusual interest as some prominent Indiana ladies will give talks on club work. Mrs. Samuel Ralston, Mrs. Strouse, the country contributor, and Miss Veda Newson, the president of the State Federation, will be on the program. The meeting will be held at Russellville on Wednesday, April 8. Mrs. William Houck of this city will attend.

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## POOL ROOM IS ENTERED BY ROBBER

BURGLARS TAKE \$3 IN MONEY, CIGARETTES, REVOLVER, CHEWING GUM, SMOKING TOBACCO AND CIGAR LIGHTERS FROM T. J. KENNEDY BUSINESS ROOM SATURDAY NIGHT.

## ENTERED THROUGH WINDOW

Some robber is well supplied with pennies and nickels and T. J. Kennedy is short \$3 in money and some valuable merchandise as the result of the robbery of his pool room on the north side of the square late Saturday night.

The robber or robbers, who entered the pool room through a rear window, secured \$3 in money, a \$10 revolver, several packages of cigarettes, several packages of smoking tobacco, some chewing gum and some cigar lighters. The money, which was taken from the cashdrawer, consisted 150 pennies and 25 nickels.

After robbing the pool room the robbers left by unlocking the rear door of the room. To enter the room the robbers took a pane of glass, which had been partially broken out before, out of the window. The officers have no clew to the identity of the robbers. The robbery was discovered Sunday morning.

## THE PLAINTIFF IS HIS OWN ATTORNEY IN DIVORCE SUIT

A suit in which the plaintiff in the case is his own attorney was filed in Putnam Circuit Court Monday. The complaint is one in which divorce is asked. Clarence McCollough, who says Washington township, is his home, asks divorce from his wife, Stella M. McCollough. He alleges they were married March 9, 1906, and lived together until August 21, 1913, when they separated. Mr. McCollough charges his wife with cruel and inhuman treatment. Besides divorce he asks the custody of their two-year-olds on.

L. A. Dobbs, of Belle Union, who has been taking radium treatment for cancer in a hospital in Belleville, Ill., left Saturday night for New York where he will take the same treatment in a hospital in that city. Mr. Dobbs believes that the treatment he will receive in New York will be much better than the treatment received at Belleville, Ill.

Miss Anna Cannon returned to Mt. Carmel Saturday evening after a several days' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cannon, on south College avenue. She is teaching in the public schools at that city.

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No. 3 Louisville Mail ..... 2:25 pm  
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No. 11 Laf. Fch. Lick Acc. 8:25 am  
No. 9 Laf. French Lick Acc. 6:21 pm

—North Bound—  
No. 4 Chicago Mail ..... 1:50 pm  
No. 6 Chicago Express ..... 12:28 pm  
No. 10 Laf. Fch. Lick Acc. 9:50 am  
No. 12 Laf. Fch. Lick Acc. 6:03 pm  
Freight trains will not carry passengers. All trains run daily. Phone 59.  
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ADVERTISE IN THE HERALD.

FOR SALE—100 acres fine Hendricks county farm land. Bargain if sold at once. Apply at Herald office.

The sacred concert last night at the Christian church was a complete success. The eighteen people making up the program were well balanced in their parts and gave an inspiring evening in sacred song. The anthems were especially well rendered. The solos by Miss Young, Miss Irma Hootman and Leslie Miller were of most excellent quality and artistically rendered. The duets and quartets were of some high quality. Miss Irma Hootman's readings of Vandyke deserves special mention for the able and pleasing rendition of the same. The offering was quite generous. The closing song by the entire congregation inspired all. A pleasing and profitable evening was the sentiment of the 800 people or more who were there. A number who came late were unable to get in or even get standing room which was at a premium as all available room was occupied in the entire auditorium.

Over-the-Teacups club meets with Mrs. H. M. Smith tomorrow afternoon.

Stomach Trouble Cured. Mrs. H. G. Cleveland, Arnold, Pa. writes "For some time I suffered from stomach trouble. I would have soon starved and feel bloated after eating. Nothing benefited me until I got Chamberlain's Tablets. After taking two bottles of them I was cured." For sale by all dealers.

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and Miss Edith E. Hunt, of Bainbridge.

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"We used a number of remedies which seemed to give relief for a short time then leave her face worse than ever. Finally we got a cake of Cuticura Soap and a box of Cuticura Ointment. I washed the child's face with very warm water and Cuticura Soap, then applied the Cuticura Ointment very lightly. After doing this about three times a day the itching and burning seemed entirely gone in two days' time. Inside of two weeks' time her face seemed well. That was eight months ago and there has been no return of the trouble." (Signed) Mrs. A. K. Wooden, Nov. 4, 1912.

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RUN TO CATCH TRACTION CAR CAUSES DEATH

THOMAS BROADSTREET, A PROMINENT PUTNAM COUNTY FARMER, EXPIRED ON INTER-URBAN CAR BETWEEN COATESVILLE AND FILLMORE SATURDAY MORNING—FATAL ATTACK OF HEART DISEASE.

BODY IS BROUGHT HERE

Stricken with heart disease just after he had boarded a traction car in Coatesville on his way to Greencastle, Thomas Broadstreet, aged 62, died on the car. Mr. Broadstreet had resided in Coatesville a little more than a year, moving there from his farm in this county.

Mr. Broadstreet, who had been a sufferer of heart disease over taxed himself when he ran a short distance in order to catch the car in Coatesville. After boarding the car he went into the smoking compartment and sat down in a seat with Edgar Wilson, also of Coatesville. Mr. Broadstreet was out of breath and greatly exhausted when he sat down. Soon after the car started from the station Mr. Broadstreet suddenly placed his hand over his heart and sank down in his seat.

Friends on the car realized that Mr. Broadstreet was very ill and the car was stopped at a telephone box and Dr. C. L. Amick of Fillmore was phoned to meet the car there. Mr. Broadstreet had expired, however, before the car reached Fillmore.

Beside his widow, Mr. Broadstreet leaves one son, Roscoe Broadstreet, age 20, and one daughter, Miss Clara Broadstreet, age 17. He also leaves one brother, Cass Broadstreet, of this county. He was a brother of the late Quinton Broadstreet of this city.

It is believed that Mr. Broadstreet was in a slightly weakened condition as the result of a slight operation he underwent in an Indianapolis hospital a few days ago. The operation was for the removal of a small tumor on his arm. Although the operation was a minor one, it is believed that it had left Mr. Broadstreet in a weakened condition and that this combined with the exhaustion caused by his run to catch the traction car brought about the fatal attack of heart disease.

In Putnam county there was never a more popular a man as Mr. Broadstreet. A successful farmer, he had accumulated sufficient means to leave his farm and take life more easily for the past few years. He enjoyed a large acquaintance over this and adjoining counties and was greatly respected by all who knew him. The news of his sudden death came as a great shock to his many friends.

After the body of Mr. Broadstreet has been prepared for burial it was taken to the home in Coatesville on the traction car leaving Greencastle at 1:25 o'clock.

Edgar Wilson, who occupied the same seat in the traction car with Mr. Broadstreet, was here Saturday. He stated that Mr. Broadstreet seemed to be out of breath when he entered the car. He told Mr. Wilson that he had run from the Coatesville bank to the traction station to catch the car. He also told him of his operation and stated that he intended spending the morning in Greencastle and then going to Indianapolis in the afternoon to have the wound on his arm dressed.

It was just after the car had passed the Hendricks-Putnam county line that Mr. Broadstreet placed his hand to his heart and fell into Mr. Wilson's arms. Wilson stated that he lived only a few minutes after he collapsed.

THE KNIGHTS TEMPLAR ENTERTAIN FELLOW MASONS.

The 47th anniversary of the foundation of the Greencastle Commandery, No. 11, was celebrated in great style at the hall rooms on the south side of the square Friday evening. About 100 guests of the local Blue Lodge and the Masonic chapter were present for the celebration.

Dr. Demetrius Tillotson, pastor of the College Avenue Methodist church of this city, gave an excellent address on Masonry. Rev. A. M. Hootman, pastor of the Christian church also gave a short talk dealing with the same subject. A short musical comedy sketch was given by Clarence Ball and George Kadel, two students of the university. A program of several of the popular songs of the day were given by the vocalists. The comedy sketch was closed with an act in which Mr. Ball impersonated a girl and sang several solos. Ball aided by his high tenor voice, impersonated a fair maiden to perfection and was greatly applauded for his work.

Wood Nichols, a well-known magician from Indianapolis, entertained the Masons by giving an exhibition of his art in the work of magic. His work was very pleasing and artistic and was highly appreciated by the audience. Refreshments of sandwiches, potato salad, baked beans and coffee were served.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Wm. J. Bowen et al to Cora B. Modlin, land in Mill Creek township ----- \$

Wm. H. Brown to Clarrel A. Williamson, land in Madison township ----- 2800

W. S. and R. C. McMahan to M. E. and L. A. Batman, land in Franklin township ----- 2300

Martha E. Rice to Robert J. McIntyre, land in Monroe township ----- 70

Henritta Mann to Edward Gray, land in Warren township ----- 6000

Jesse V. Batman to E. K. Batman, land in Franklin township ----- 2500

Walter F. Cline to J. K. Jeffries, land in Franklin township ----- 2600

Amos F. Orrell to Flora B. Orrell, lot in Cloverdale ----- 600

John E. Kennedy to Jno H. Hester, lot in Russellville ----- 1000

L. L. Carine to W. J. Blackman, land in Washington and Warren townships ----- 11200

W. E. Fulkerson to M. E. Ransopher, land in Washington township ----- 1

A. R. Hurst to James M. M. Hurst, lot in Cloverdale ----- 100

Isaac A. Leavel to James Gordon, lot in Bainbridge ----- 1

Lyden E. Wilkenson et al to E. J. Wilkenson, lots in Bainbridge ----- 1400

Lydia E. Wilkenson et al to E. J. Wilkenson, lot in Bainbridge ----- 500

Auditor of Putnam County to Jackson Boyd et al, lot in Madison township ----- 230

Auditor of Putnam County to Jackson Boyd, lot in Greencastle ----- 216.13

Otto Vermillion et al to Orval L. Vermillion, land in Jefferson township ----- 1

John H. James to Otto Vermillion, land in Jefferson township ----- 1

Jackson Boyd to Fred Albin, land in Madison township ----- 500

James L. Witt to John F. Avritt, lots in Roachdale ----- 200

O. A. Davis to B. H. Brumser, land in Washington township ----- 2800

Ollie H. Robbins to Columbus Gillen, lots in Roachdale ----- 2150

A new system for the perfection of

a more adequate attendance record was installed in the local high school by Principal Murray A. Dalman today. Each pupil in the high school will be accounted for while at the school building and will be required to be present at all regular classes or furnish an excuse from his parents, which will explain his absence. The pupils are each presented with a card which admits him to his regular classes and if he is not the possessor of the card his absence will have to be explained by his parents in a written excuse. The new system will eliminate the practice of "hooky" from school and classes.

The fire department was called to box 61 at the corner of Walnut and Madison streets Tuesday evening about 6:30 o'clock in answer to a false alarm. Residents in the neighborhood of box 61 thought that the Presbyterian parsonage on the corner of Poplar and Madison street was on fire and turned in the alarm.

Mrs. Robert Lyons, of Bloomington, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Joslin, on east Seminary street.

HANNA OPENING A BIG SUCCESS

CROWD ESTIMATED AT OVER THREE THOUSAND PEOPLE HERE TO ENJOY THE ATTRACTIONS FURNISHED BY THE LOCAL FURNITURE AND UNDERTAKING STORE MANAGEMENT—ATTRACTIONS PROVE ENTERTAINING.

MANY GIFTS GIVEN AWAY

With a crowd estimated at more than 3,000 here to attend the Hanna last Store Opening Saturday, the event was one of the most successful of its kind ever held here. The store was crowded to capacity all day and at 3 o'clock, when furniture valued at more than \$100 was given away, a crowd of more than 3,000 which was gathered in the street in front of the store.

The events of the day consisted of concerts given by the Cross Sisters Orchestra of Roachdale, and a performance given by Nichols, the magician. These were given on the second floor of the store and were of the continuous variety.

All through the store representatives from several factories gave demonstrations of the goods they sell to Mr. Hanna.

The event was a most successful one and Mr. Hanna is to be congratulated.

In the contest of the vacuum sweepers, Mrs. Ray Miller guessed the nearest number of beans in the jar and received the gift. The number of beans in the jar was 5033 while Mrs. Miller's guess was 5113.

Those who received other gifts were as follows:

Wizard Oil Mop—Paul Williams.

Rocking Chair—Mrs. Florence Crissler.

Bed Springs—Miss Lela Walls.

Bed Springs—Miss Jenette Gasaway.

Matress—Mrs. John McGill.

Book Case—Miss Montie Ruark.

Kitchen Cabinet—Mrs. George Gibson.

Obituary.

Henry McClain Secrest was born at Parkersburg, Montgomery County, Indiana, December 24th, 1840, and died March 20th, 1914, being 73 years, 3 months and 5 days old. He never knew the care and love of a mother nor the counsel or advice of a father but at a very tender age was left to face the world with all its terrible trials and hardships, its snares and temptations as an orphan. His mother was called to her reward when he was but six weeks old and his father when he was six years old. He lived at his home in Parkersburg until his father's death when his uncle, Henry Secrest, took him to his home in Greencastle. There he was raised to manhood. His entire life was spent in Putnam county with the exception of the first six years. Henry lived forty-three years at the home in which he died. At the age of twenty-one years he united with the Christian church at Greencastle during a series of meetings conducted by Rev. O. P. Badger. He continued to the end a firm believer in the Bible and was already ready to defend the cause of right wherever found. When the Civil War began he answered the first call and enlisted in the 19th Indiana Regiment, serving three months. He then returned home and remained about one year, during that time on Dec. 15th, 1861, he was united in marriage to Miss Elizabeth McMahan of near Brick Chapel. In short time he reenlisted in the 78th Indiana Regiment and served for about three years. He, with many others, was taken prisoner after the battle of Union Town, Ky.

Uncle Henry, as he was familiarly called, was the father of three children; Mrs. Walter Garner, Greencastle; Mrs. S. C. Hughes and Mrs. C. P. Runyan of Elwood, Ind.

He was taken ill January 2d, and most of the time his suffering was intense but toward the end his suffering gradually ceased, and on Sunday afternoon surrounded by his devoted wife, children and friends, he peacefully passed away. His suffering was over, he has answered the last call, fought the last battle and has gone to join that innumerable throng that is constantly pressing to the other shore.

He has gone to meet father and mother and loved ones who have gone before.

He was a devoted husband, a kind father and a good neighbor. He was always ready with a word of greeting to every one he met. He leaves to mourn his demise, his wife, three daughters, five grandchildren; Chester Garner, Greencastle; Wayne and Glen Hughes, Elizabeth and Robert Runyan of Elwood; one sister, Mrs. Jefferson Armstrong, of Oklahoma City, and a host of neighbors and friends.

ROAD CONTRACTS ARE LET BY COMMISSIONERS

The county commissioners in their regular monthly meeting on Monday let the following contracts for the building of roads in Putnam county:

J. W. Ellis road in Mill Creek township, W. E. Pickens, \$3,824. Only one bid filed.

Henry Sendmeyer road in Washington township, James Mahoney and Mike Mahoney, \$5325. Two other bids were filed for the Sendmeyer road. They are P. H. Lane & Sons, \$5,340, and Shaw & Skelton, \$5,338.

SQUIRE FRANK PERFORMED DOUBLE WEDDING CEREMONY

A double wedding ceremony was performed by Justice of Peace Phillip Frank in the private office of County Clerk A. J. Hamrick on Monday at 10:30 o'clock. Grover Eggers and Miss Laura Jewell of Roachdale and James Galbreath and Mrs. Carrie Eggers of the same place were the parties to the ceremony.

Both couples are popular young people of Franklin township. They left immediately after the ceremony for Roachdale and will make their homes on farms in that vicinity.

Obituary.

Mrs. Corena Holbert, daughter of Willis and Corena Bunn, was born Sept. 12, 1874, in Rocky Mount, North Carolina.

She was the second child of a family of three children, all of whom are dead. When six years old she came with her father to Greencastle, Ind. Here she spent the greater part of her life.

In 1903 she was united with the Bethel A. M. E. church where she retained her membership until she departed this life. While health and strength permitted she took an active interest in the work of her church and was a consistent Christian until the last. She was a loyal member of the Nettie Ransford Chapter of the Eastern Star, at Brazil, Ind.

On May 24, 1902, she was united in marriage to Samuel H. Holbert. She was a loving mother and a devoted wife, and leaves one son, Fred Omer Mitchell, by her former marriage and husband, Samuel H. Holbert, with a host of relatives and friends to mourn her loss.

The funeral services were held on Friday afternoon at Bethel A. M. E. church, conducted by the Rev. C. P. Smith, the pastor.

The services were conducted by the Nettie Ransford Chapter of the Eastern Star, who came from Brazil, Ind., in a body, to pay the last tribute of respect for the deceased sister, by a beautiful and impressive ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Holbert of Terre Haute, B. J. Dickens, Mrs. Edna Clark and Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Bullock of Indianapolis and Mrs. Minnie Stepp of Maywood, Ind., were the out-of-town relatives of the deceased, who attended the funeral.

The floral offerings were many and beautiful. Burial was at the Forest Hill cemetery. Music by the Bethel A. M. E. choir.

ROAD BONDS ARE SOLD BY COUNTY TREASURER

County Treasurer Runyan Monday afternoon sold four sets of road bonds. The bids for the bonds were opened at 1 o'clock and the bidding was spirited. Following are the bonds sold and the premium bid by each bidder. The successful bidders are marked with a star:

William D. Lovett and others road in Franklin township. Twenty bonds of \$81 each. Total issue \$13,620.

J. F. Wild ----- \$109.00

First National Bank ----- 105.50

E. F. Parr & Co., ----- 70.82

Gavin L. Payne & Co., ----- 126.10

Central National Bank ----- 25.00

Bried, Elliott & Harrison ----- 137.55

\*Breed, Elliott & Harrison ----- 137.55

Crittens National Bank ----- 75.00

T. S. Haltom and others road in Cloverdale and Jefferson townships. Twenty bonds of \$120 each. Total issue, \$5,000.

J. F. Wild ----- \$ 15.00

First National Bank ----- 22.50

E. F. Parr & Co., ----- 15.60

Gavin L. Payne & Co., ----- 18.50

\*Breed, Elliott & Harrison ----- 29.00

One bond for \$147 for the Brattain and others road in Madison township and one bond for \$138.50 for the Shonkwiler road in Clinton and Madison township also were sold. Several of the bidders bid par for these bonds.

FOREST NOTES.

The tenth successive year without a forest fire has just been passed by the Powell national forest in south central Utah.

Yellow poplar, or tulip tree, the largest broadleaf tree in America, has been known to reach nearly 200 feet in height and 10 feet in diameter.

Pennsylvania has about 7 1/2 million acres of timberland, one-eighth of which is owned by the state. The total value of the state's timber is \$29 million dollars.

Mistletoe thrives on the western coasts to an extent not approached in the east. In many places this parasitic growth is responsible, directly or indirectly, for a considerable loss of timber.

Forest officers in Washington and Oregon plan to discontinue the use of barbed wire in their forests. This will affect their own pastures and public drift fences. They say barbed wire has no advantage over smooth wire, that it injures stock, and that it is more likely to be borne down by soft snow. Stockmen on the Ochoco forest, in Oregon, recently constructed drift fences of smooth wire, though with some misgivings; now they say, they will never use barbed wire again.

Roachdale Club Elects Officers.

Roachdale, Ind., April 6.—Officers of the Commercial Club were elected at the annual banquet of the club last night as follows: President, William R. Dean; vice president, F. H. Bowen; secretary and treasurer, E. C. Rogers.

David Rudisill returned to his home in Indianapolis Monday after a several days' visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Rudisill of this city. He was called here on account of the illness of his mother.

WATCHES AND MONEY TAKEN

ROBERT NEWGENT, OF THIS CITY, IS VICTIM OF BURGLAR, WHILE VISITING HIS BROTHER, RUSSELL NEWGENT, IN INDIANAPOLIS SATURDAY NIGHT.

LEFT THE DOOR UNLOCKED

A trip to Indianapolis Saturday afternoon to spend Sunday with his brother, cost Robert Newgent of this town \$9 in money and a gold watch. His brother, Russell, whom he was visiting also is loser as the result of a visit of a burglar to his room in a residence at 616 north Meridian street, Indianapolis.

The burglar visited the room sometime after 11 o'clock Saturday night and while the two young men were asleep took their watches from the dresser and extracted the money from their pockets. Russell Newgent lost a gold watch and \$6 in money.

Robert Newgent went to Indianapolis Saturday afternoon to visit his brother over Sunday. Saturday night the two young men were down town until late. They reached their room at about 11 o'clock and retired without locking their door.

Sunday morning the landlady knocked at their door and asked them what their clothing was doing in the hall. They then learned that the thief had visited their room sometime during the night and relieved them of their watches and money. The robber had taken their clothes into the hall and searched the pockets taking nothing but their money.

The robbery was reported to the Indianapolis police but the young men have little hopes of recovering their property. The young men are the sons of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Newgent of this city. Russell Newgent is practicing law in Indianapolis.

DEPUTY SHERIFF MAKES GOOD CATCH SATURDAY.

While searching for some clew to the Cloverdale robbery in the railroad yards at Lmedale Saturday night, Deputy Sheriff Howard Harris arrested Goldie Cummings, of Cloverdale, who had been a fugitive since late last summer. Cummings was wanted on a charge of assault on a little girl by the name of Query on the night of the Quincy picnic. The warrant for his arrest was sworn out on the day after the picnic but Cummings left Cloverdale and the officers never could locate him.

Saturday night Howard Harris found a man in a freight car in Lmedale and took him to the station to search him in hopes that he might find some clew to the Cloverdale robbery, which had occurred earlier in the evening. In searching the man he found a letter addressed to Mrs. Goldie Cummings at Cloverdale. The officer realized that he probably had the man for whom the officers had been searching for several months and brought him to jail. Cummings admitted his identity to the officer soon after he was placed under arrest.

On Monday he was taken before the judge and pleaded guilty to the charge of assault and was fined \$10 and costs, which he paid. He told the officers that he had been working at Patrickburg since he left Cloverdale. He had been hiding at Cloverdale for the past week and was on his way back to Patrickburg when arrested.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Allen, of Rushville, spent Sunday with the former's mother, Mrs. Margaret Allen, and family of this city. They stopped in this city on their way from Muncie, Ill., where they visited Mrs. Allen's parents for a few days, to their home in Rushville.

THE WARREN TOWNSHIP PROGRESSIVES NOMINATE.

The Progressives of Warren township met in the school house in Putnamville on April 4 to select a township ticket. The following were nominated:

For trustee, W. O. Lewis; for assessor, E. C. Smith. W. A. McClure, Luther Easter and J. C. Harecut were nominated for the advisory board. For road supervisor, District No. 1, Chester A. Humphreys; for road supervisor, District No. 2, Ernest Jones. Chas. E. Williams was nominated for justice of peace, and J. L. Gallion for constable.

Elmer Long, who has been employed in the Broadstreet & Hoagland Shoe store for several years, has resigned his position there and will go into the insurance business. Mr. Long's resignation took effect Saturday night.



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WASTE OF 2 YEARS  
IN EDUCATION CITEDCommittee Makes Report Af-  
ter Investigation Covering  
Extended Period.

## ENDEAVOR TO SAVE TIME

Would Arrange So That Professions  
Could Be Entered at an Earlier  
Age—Opinions on Every Phase of  
Subject Embraced in Report.

Washington, D. C.—There is a  
waste of at least two years in the  
present plan of American education.  
This is the conclusion reached by a  
committee of prominent educators in  
a report on "Economy of Time in  
Education," just issued by the United  
States Bureau of Education.

This conclusion follows an investi-  
gation lasting nearly ten years by a  
committee of the National Education  
Association, of which President Jas.  
H. Baker, of the University of Colo-  
rado, is chairman.

The committee have endeavored to  
form a plan that would do away  
with the two-year loss. They pro-  
pose that six years be assigned to  
the elementary school instead of  
eight, as at present; that the high  
school period be from 12 to 13, di-  
vided into two parts, of four and two  
years each; that college work extend  
from 19 to 20, or 16 to 20, according  
to the method of distributing the last  
two secondary years; and that gradu-  
ate or professional work at a uni-  
versity cover the years from 20 to  
24.

This would enable boys and girls  
to get ample vocational training after  
the age of 12; it would enable those  
who go on to college to get through  
their college work at the age of 20,  
and it would save the professional  
man from having to wait until 27 to  
start his professional career.

The report insists that the present  
elementary course is too long; that  
the ground now covered in eight  
years can be covered just as efficient-

ly in six, allowing secondary work  
to begin at the age of 12. To save  
on elementary schooling they urge:  
"Choose the most important sub-  
jects and the most important topics;  
make a distinction between first-rate  
facts and principles and tenth-rate  
facts and principles."  
"Confine the period of elementary  
education to mastering the tools of  
education. Include the last two years  
of the present elementary school in  
the period of secondary education;  
and begin the study of foreign lan-  
guage, elementary algebra, construc-  
tive geometry, elementary science  
and history two years earlier than  
at present."

Emphasis is laid on the necessity  
of concentrating on a few valuable  
studies: "The great mistake of our  
education is to suppose that quantity  
and strain constitute education. Ed-  
ucation is a question of doing a few  
essential things well and without  
overstrain. The college has committed  
a grievous mistake in demanding  
even more in quantity rather than in  
quality produced under condition of  
healthy normal development."

The report takes up the problem  
of saving time in education from the  
point of view of the college, the  
school, and society at large, as well  
as of the individual pupil; and it con-  
tains opinions on every phase of the  
question, from representative school  
men and the general public.

## Tomcat's Meowing Saves Lives.

Pittsburgh, Pa.—The meowing of  
"Tom," a pet cat, saved the lives of  
J. J. Potts, his wife and their young  
son when fire destroyed their home,  
1917 Cliff street, McKeesport, early  
in the morning. They made spec-  
tacular escapes from the building  
by way of the roof of the front  
porch. Potts' savings, \$400, were  
lost in the blaze.

Potts was awakened by the cat  
at 2:30 o'clock. He found the house  
in flames. Awakening his family he  
started for the stairs, but found that  
the fire had cut off escape. He  
climbed out on the roof, slid down  
a pillar, procured a ladder and as-  
sisted his wife and son to safety.  
The damage will amount to \$4,400.  
An overheated furnace is believed  
to have caused the fire.

Tom escaped, too.

## Chair Back Saves Life.

Olathe, Kan.—Although the back  
of a rocking chair in which he was  
sitting was riddled with shot from  
a gun, fired at him through a win-  
dow, John Smizer, 45 years old,  
escaped from the attack of a would-  
be assassin with but a few minor  
wounds. The chair had saved his  
life. Smizer, who is a well-to-do  
farmer and bachelor, believes rob-  
bery was the motive.

## Millions in "Squatter" Litigation.

New York—Litigation involving  
millions of dollars worth of property  
in the eastern district, Brooklyn, was  
started by Attorney General Car-  
mody. The proceedings are against  
the American Sugar Refining Com-  
pany to oust it as a "squatter" from

four blocks occupied by the sugar  
plant since 1868.

The state bases its suit on the  
records of letters and patents issued  
to the company from 1868. The com-  
pany was given the right only to  
erect docks. It is declared. The state  
contends the property is now needed  
for docking purposes.

## Long-Tailed Pigs Wanted.

East Lansing, Mich.—Pigs with  
long tails will find a welcome this  
winter at Michigan Agricultural Col-  
lege, where they are needed by the  
bacteriological department in its  
work of fighting hog cholera, which  
has been ravishing swine herds of  
the State.

The pig, or rather his tail, sought  
by the college, is wanted for serum  
purposes. Serum, to protect hogs  
from cholera, is made at the college  
by taking it from the blood of pigs  
which have developed immunity  
from the disease.

## Opal Bed Found in Nevada Valley.

Washington—Opals, described with  
extraordinary enthusiasm by the pro-  
saic United States Government as  
"Unexcelled in variety and brilliance"  
and as "exhibiting wonderful flashes,"  
have been discovered in the Virgin  
Valley, Humboldt county, Nevada, ac-  
cording to a report by the Geological  
Survey. The gems are described as  
far superior to any ever before found  
in this country. The Nevada opals  
are extracted from deposits of petri-  
fied wood. Some of those discovered  
are worth \$200 apiece.

## Live Rattler Coiled in Gas Meter.

Worcester, Mass.—A meter reader  
for the Worcester Gas Light Com-  
pany entered a cellar in Main street  
to make his monthly readings and  
found a live rattlesnake in posses-  
sion of the premises. The gas man  
beat a hasty retreat when the reptile  
coiled himself for a spring, and he  
informed the janitor of the building,  
William E. Foster, who killed it.

## Tango Is Barred At Charity Ball.

Pittsfield, Mass.—Mayor Patrick  
Moore has appointed a censor for a  
charity ball to be held here. The  
tango will be barred.

## England's Cotton Exchange.

On the Royal Exchange in Man-  
chester practically all of England's  
great home and foreign cotton trade  
is transacted. On Tuesday and Fri-  
day of each week 5,000 to 6,000  
representatives of the mills in the  
country most of which are located  
within a radius of 50 miles, appear  
on the floor and transact business  
just as is done on the Stock ex-  
change of this country. The yarn  
spinner sells and the weaver buys.  
Agents for yarn and cloth mills make  
contracts and bid for the supplies  
needed. Notes are made of the trans-  
actions and are confirmed later.

## All in Cold Storage.

An Oregon attorney representing  
a client whose title to a certain cold  
storage plant was under fire closed

a noble argument before the Oregon  
Supreme Court recently with the fol-  
lowing bit of pathos: "Your honors  
there is more resting upon your de-  
cision than this cold storage plant;  
a human life is at stake. My client's  
life efforts are in this cold storage;  
his life blood is in this cold storage;  
his body and soul are wrapped up in  
this cold storage."

## Coal From the River.

It is said that as much as 25-  
000 tons of coal, are taken yearly  
from the bed of the Susquehanna  
River. There are several large com-  
panies engaged in this business, and  
those which can afford it, recover the  
coal by means of a suction dredge,  
an extremely novel manner of tak-  
ing coal from the ground. The fuel  
is washed down from the collieries  
and culm piles along the upper  
river.

## Concrete for Oily Tanks.

Experiments have made to deter-  
mine the availability of concrete for  
oil storage tanks and it was found  
that the material was entirely suit-  
ed for the purpose. Accordingly a  
number of them have been built at  
El Paso, Texas, by one of the rail-  
road companies of that section which  
is engaged in extensively handling  
oil from the fields of that State. Up  
to this time it was generally agreed  
that the presence of oil had some  
serious effect on the concrete, but  
if this is true, it was not shown by  
the experiments.

## Reading Into the Telephone.

A young Philadelphia woman of  
good family but reduced means, who  
has retained an extensive acquaint-  
ance among her aristocratic asso-  
ciates, has hit upon a novel and or-  
iginal means of earning a livelihood  
by the use of her voice and excellent  
reading ability. She has combined  
some of her wealthy friends of ad-  
vanced years into a reading circle,  
who listen to her over their tele-  
phones for about an hour a day and  
pay her generously by the week for  
her entertainment.

## Taking Precautions.

A gentleman suffering intense pain  
from neuralgia went to an unexperi-  
enced M. D.'s office and asked for  
something to relieve the pain. The  
doctor ultimately prepared a box of  
liquid with these directions labeled on  
the bottle: "Take one teaspoonful  
half hour before you feel the pain  
coming."

## Contemptuous.

An Irishman, terribly incensed  
against a neighbor, being called to ac-  
count for using slanderous epithets,  
replied: "Yis! an' Oi'll tark th' same  
agin if Oi hev to go to th' calaboose.  
He's a wold, bod mon. He's thot  
mane, if his taith wuz on foire Oi  
wouldn't spit in his mouth!"

## Nearer Home.

Wife (putting down the magazine):  
—This article says that the supply of  
coal will be gone in one hundred  
years.  
Husband—That's nothing! Ours is  
already gone.

## He Knew Human Nature.

In a little village there once lived  
a boy who was supposed to be dull-  
witted. The men of the village used  
to find great amusement in offering  
him the choice between a threepenny  
bit and a penny, of which he invariably  
chose the penny. A stranger  
one day saw him choose the penny  
rather than the threepenny bit, and  
asked him for the reason. "Is it be-  
cause the penny is larger?" the  
stranger asked.  
"Naw," was the response, "not  
'cause it is the biggest. But if I took  
the threepenny bit they'd soon stop  
offering it."—Tatler

DECLARES THUGS  
WERE DEPUTIES

(Continued from Page One.)

of Roper's testimony. Dan Taylor,  
Republican poll book holder of Pre-  
cinct H of the First Ward; Mrs. Sarah  
Minnis, one of the women who was a  
watcher in the interest of a clean elec-  
tion; W. W. Dickerson, Christian  
Flohr, William S. Holtz and Edward  
B. Cowan all gave testimony that  
tallied in detail with that offered in  
Roper's confession.

The Rev. Paul C. Curnick, of Rens-  
selaer, Ind., former pastor of the  
First Methodist Church here, was an-  
other witness for the state.

Flohr and Sholtz, who were men-  
tioned by Roper as being men he had  
chosen to serve as Progressive mem-  
bers of the election board, and who  
were not to appear for duty on elec-  
tion day in order to allow Roberts to  
name the Progressive members, were  
on the witness stand during the af-  
ternoon. Flohr told of Roper's asking  
him to allow his name to be used, of  
going with Roper to Progressive head-  
quarters and of what transpired that  
night.

## Gives Damaging Testimony.

The evidence of Sholtz was even  
more damaging in its character than  
was Flohr's. Sholtz testified that af-  
ter going with Roper to Progressive  
headquarters they entered a saloon on

If You Want a Real  
Dainty Dress--

Here are some stylish fabrics that will certainly  
make up to your satisfaction—

## Printed Silk Poplins—

25 inches wide—rose, tan,  
brown, copenhagen, navy,  
taupe—50c yard.

## Colored Silk Poplins—

Shades similar to above,  
36 inches—\$1.00 yard.

## Crepe Meteor—

Navy, duck, blue, taupe,  
Indian red, wisteria, black  
and white—40 inches wide  
—\$2.00 yard.

## Shadow Laces—

Certainly it this spring—  
12, 18, 24 inches wide—  
cream and white colorings

## Shadow Lace Nets—

For waists—cream and  
white—\$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50,  
\$2.00 yard.

## Brocaded Crepe de Chine

Jacquard figures on plain  
colored ground—white,  
light blue, pink, yellow,  
taupe, lavender, tango—  
27 inches wide—50c yard

## Crepe de Chine—

Taupe, tan, brown, grey,  
copenhagen, navy, cadet,  
pink, light blue, wisteria,  
apricot, black and white—  
40 inches—\$1.50 yard.

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colors being broken— we offer you  
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largest outside women.

Our business is to please  
the customers—and we are  
not satisfied until we do.

ALLEN BROTHERS

Wabash avenue, walked through the  
rear door and up the alley into the  
back room of Democratic headquar-  
ters. There, Sholtz said, they met  
Donn Roberts and Richard Werneke.  
After relating what happened at Pro-  
gressive headquarters the witness said  
Roper introduced him as the Progress-  
ive judge of the precinct. Sholtz said  
Roberts gave him \$1 that night.  
Sholtz said he was an independent  
voter and was not allied with any po-  
litical party.

Edward B. Cowan, Progressive city  
chairman, was the next witness. Mr.  
Cowan told of his experience with Ro-  
per; told about Roper berating him  
for appointing a man by the name of  
Maurer as Progressive member of the  
registration board, all of which tallied  
with Roper's statements. Mr. Cowan  
detailed the work after he was in-  
jured Oct. 10.

## Explains Appointments.

He said he named George Cordell,  
Charles Wood, W. W. Dickerson and  
R. S. Parr as a committee to choose  
the Progressive members of the elec-  
tion boards and that he asked Miller

Davis of the law firm of Stims  
Stimson, Hamill & Davis to assist the  
committee with its work. Mr. Cowan  
explained that this law firm did no  
legal work.

The cross-examination of Cowan  
proved futile. Questions tending to  
make it appear Mr. Brown had been  
untrue to his party were parried and  
kept out of the court record on objec-  
tion by the state.

At adjournment Judge Fortune an-  
nounced that, beginning tomorrow  
longer sessions will be held. Because  
of illness in the family of Attorney  
Slinkard, who left for his home at  
Bloomfield, Ind., tonight, tomorrow  
session will not begin until 10 o'clock,  
but hereafter the morning session will  
convene at 9 o'clock and the afternoon  
session at 1:30 o'clock. Adjournment  
for the day will be at 6 o'clock, an  
hour later than heretofore.

"A bunch of thugs and gunmen  
came down in an automobile late in  
the afternoon. They drew their guns  
and stole the poll book from the Re-  
publican poll book holder."  
"Did you see who took the book?"

UNITED STATES COMMISSION OF BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATIONS  
TO THE INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS AT LONDON, ENGLAND, IN AUGUST

Cincinnati, Ohio.—(Special).—The International Congress of Building and Loan Associations will be held in London, England, August 11th and 12th of this year. The Building and Loan Associations of the United States will be represented by an International Commission composed of prominent men. The commission is composed of W. J. Bayersdorfer, President United States League, Shreveport, La.; H. F. Cellarius, Secretary, of Cincinnati; L. L. Rankin, Columbus, Ohio; Henry S. Rosenthal, editor American Building Association News, Cincinnati; Herbert W. Pinkham, Wollastown, Mass.; Charles E. Clark, Covington, Ky.; C. A. Royse, Terre Haute, Ind.; Charles O'Connor Hennessy, New York, and George D. Gilmore, Omaha, Nebraska.

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## MONNEEDED TO TERMINE CASE

Gives It Up, Woman  
Suits and Passaic Di-  
vides Over Ownership.

### ENCE ALL TANGLED

As Mere Citizen, Would Ac-  
Testimony of the Dog, But  
Judge Was Unconvinced—  
Suit Entered.

St. Charles, Mo.—It wasn't a dog, and the man on the bench a Solomon but just a district judge, with human doubts born of experience with human testimony.

The dog was a white and bull, valued at \$500 by the claimants, and the Solomon combination being broken the location of his ownership threw the residents here into a row, caused a woman to faint, the judge throw up his hands in despair and divided the town into opposing factions.

Give it up," said Judge W. Cabell, of the District Court, hearing the testimony. "It takes a Solomon to decide the case."

The side of the plaintiff was testimony of two physicians, a fancier and a reputable citizen, John Tomer, of Rutherford, N. J., said the dog was his. Arraigned at this testimony was the word Theodore Bergner, general manager of the Botany Worsted Mills, who also claimed the dog, wife, their neighbors, a servant, family cat, a dog's kiss and a fiancé.

"I am a mere citizen," said Judge Cabell, "I would feel inclined to accept the testimony of the dog and give it to Mrs. Bergner. As a judge, however, I am unconvinced. I will let the case non-suit."

The court room was crowded with a society, as Mrs. Bergner, who at 112 Lexington avenue, is one of the leaders there. "The dog is mine," said Mrs. Bergner. "We bought the dog last January when it was only two months old. On September 8 the dog was ill, we sent it to a dog hospital in St. Louis. Dr. John Bakelaar said an operation was necessary. Then on September 20 Dr. Bakelaar told us the dog had escaped. We advertised it and a man told us he found it and got the dog back."

How do you know it was your dog?" asked Judge Cabell. "Oh, I know," answered Mrs. Bergner. "Our cat at home is afraid of dogs and is always fighting with them. Well, when Puppy came home, it purred and actually went up and kissed Puppy. The cat knew it was Puppy."

Then as additional evidence Mrs. Bergner said: "Kiss me, Puppy." "Puppy did."

Then Mrs. Bergner's neighbors came to the witness stand and said they were sure that the dog belonged to her. Bergner.

Mr. Tomer's case was less affected and more scientific. He called to the stand Dr. Bakelaar and his assistant, Dr. Henry Compner. Both were certain that the dog in court was not the dog on which they had operated. Also Joseph Walkland, of Newark, took the stand and testified that he had sold the dog to Mr. Tomer.

"Besides," Mr. Walkland added, "the dog before you is two years old. Mr. Bergner's dog was only a year old."

Undismayed, Mr. Bergner brought in an expert, who testified that the dog in the room was not two years old.

The judge shook his head and said he could not decide the case.

After the case was dismissed Mrs. Bergner met Mrs. Bergner outside the court room.

"You stole my dog!" shouted Mrs. Bergner.

Mrs. Bergner fainted.

5 YEARS FAMILY AGE TOTAL.

Aggregate of Five Missourians Believed to Be a Record.

Stanberry, Mo.—There are not many families in the State of Missouri where the combined ages of the five living children aggregate 55 years.

This is true of the members of the Sale family, which is one of the oldest families in the county, and all of the five are living in the same neighborhood, near here.

The names and ages of this family are as follows:

James Sale, 94; Mrs. Sarah Gunter, 89; Mrs. Nancy McGuire, 87; Mrs. Lavina Kier, 85; Frank Sale, 80.

Timepiece Over Century Old.

Lewistown, Pa.—Herb Goss has a watch over 100 years old. It was given to his mother years ago by a man then 80 years old. The man carried it nearly all his life, and it was presented to him when he was a young man, second-handed at that time.

## KISSING 'SQUIRE QUILTS.

Closes Office After Having Tied Knot for 1,800 Couples.

St. Charles, Mo.—Fritz Knoop, justice of the peace at St. Charles, who has kissed more than 1,000 brides out of the 1,800 he has married, has tied his last marriage knot and is "going out of business" as he expresses it. He has been in the "marrying business" nearly twenty years.

It was Justice Knoop's one ambition to marry 2,000 couples, but impaired health has caused him to close his office and take down the familiar little sign that hung over the door. Justice Knoop is 70 years old. During his career he has married couples of almost every age between 14 and 55. Over half of them were St. Louisans.

For several years he was the only justice in St. Charles. During that period he did a thriving business. But two other justices have established themselves in St. Charles, and competition was keen. One of the justices found street car advertising an effective means of drawing candidates for matrimony. His "ad" in large red letters is conspicuously displayed in the St. Charles line cars.

Among Justice Knoop's clientele were many prominent St. Louisans who wished to get married "quietly." Many elopements have terminated in his office and at his home. On several occasions he was roused out of his slumber by an eloping couple. He began his career as a policeman, then became constable. He has married as many as seven couples in one day.

### Profitable Hens.

Skowhegan, Maine—O. D. Wells, of Skowhegan is doing what no man in Somerset county has ever done. On three acres of land in the village and with 700 hens he is making an annual net profit of \$1,500.

Four years ago Mr. Wells started out to keep hens without any previous experience and but little money, but from the start he made a good sized profit. The first year it was \$900, the second a little more, and so on until last year he made \$1,500. Wells does this by no unique system, but simply by systematic work and good judgment. The entire care of the hens, raising of green crops for them and the marketing of the produce is all done by Wells himself with the assistance of only his wife.

Wells built his hen houses which consist of a hen house proper 263 feet long for housing 700 hens and a brooder house. He keeps three varieties of hens, Rhode Island Reds and Barred and White Plymouth Rocks.

### Captures Husband; Sues for Reward.

Clearfield, Pa.—Depositions were taken today in a suit brought by a Clearfield woman, Mrs. Annie Keeler, against Clearfield county to recover a reward of \$500 offered by the county commissioners for the capture of her husband, John O. Keeler, who more than a year ago shot and killed Joseph Roessner at the latter's brewery, where Keeler was employed, and then escaped to the hills. The murderer came to his home and, upon the advice of his wife gave himself up.

Keeler, who is sentenced to be hanged at the Clearfield jail shows but little concern, but is anxious that his wife secure the \$500 reward, as there are several small children to be provided for.

### Rewards Men Who Nursed Attache.

Paris—In recognition of the care given to Captain D. von Winterfeldt, the military attache of the German embassy to France, who was seriously injured in an automobile accident last fall while following the French army maneuvers, the German emperor has sent an autograph portrait to Eugene Etienne, the French ex-minister of war.

His majesty also bestowed decorations on a number of French officers, surgeons and civilian officials and on several women who aided in nursing Captain Von Winterfeldt back to health. To the mayor of Grisolles the emperor sent \$1,200 to be distributed among the needy persons of the town.

FARM FOR KENT—Clover seed for corn, 40 or 50 acres and 45 acres for pasture land. Call Milo West, Greencastle.

## Personal.

Fred Haspel left today for Rugby, N. D., where he will spend the summer.

William Nelson, boilermaker at the Monon shops, will visit friends in Greencastle Sunday—Railroad News, (Lafayette Journal).

William Stewart and Bert Pfau, of Terre Haute, were here today. Mr. Stewart, who was in Greencastle during the Big Four construction work here, has many friends in Greencastle.

E. E. Black, who has been confined to his home for several days on account of illness, was able to be down town for a short time this morning.

# A Money Saving Opportunity

For Thirty Days beginning Saturday, APRIL 11th, RICKETTS The JEWELER proposes to give the people of Putnam County an opportunity to buy watches, clocks, jewelry, etc. cheaper than they ever purchased them before.

I have reduced the price on every article to the cost line and below on many articles. I bought too heavy last fall and now desire to reduce my stock materially and it prices will do it, it surely will be done. Every article sold by me during this sale will be guaranteed to give absolute satisfaction. All goods will be marked in plain figures and will be sold for spot cash.



## CLOCKS

First class Alarm Clocks, worth \$1; sale price.....59c.  
Eight-day-Strike—Oak frame clocks, worth \$3—sale price.....\$1.98

(Mantle Clocks at greatly reduced prices.)

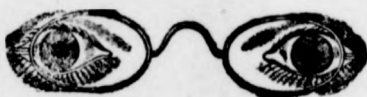
## WATCHES



A Dandy reliable watch, worth \$1—sale price 78c.

A first-class 20-year filled case with Elgin movements .....\$10.50

(All other watches at cost prices.)



## SPECTACLES

Gold Filled Spectacles, (eyes tested free) complete with lenses, and guaranteed for five years; worth \$2.—sale price.....98c.

Gold Filled Spectacles—complete—(guaranteed to wear for ten years), eyes tested free, worth \$3.50.—sale price.....\$1.48

All other optical goods sold at cost.

### ELEGANT LINE OF CUT GLASS GOES AT INTERESTING PRICES.

A \$15 Gold Watch will be given to the person who buys the most goods during the sale.

A \$10 Gold Watch will be given to the person buying the second largest amount of goods during the sale.

Five dollars in merchandise will be given to the person buying the third largest amount of goods during the sale.

Anyone buying goods who comes nearest guessing the correct number of beans in a jar in my window will be given \$5.00 worth of goods. Goods to be selected by winner at end of sale.

SALE BEGINS SATURDAY, APRIL 11

**M. D. RICKETTS,** Jeweler & Optician

BIG BEN ALARM CLOCKS AND INGERSOLL WATCHES EXCEPTED IN THIS SALE

Dr. T. A. Sigler went to Indianapolis today to attend a three days' session of the State Board of Medical Examiners of which he is a member.

The death of Mrs. Charles Evans, who resides near Poland, occurred Tuesday morning at 3 o'clock. Her death was caused from blood poison.

Dr. T. A. Sigler was in Indianapolis Tuesday evening to attend a faculty meeting at the Indianapolis Veterinary College. He is a member of faculty of that school.

Don't fail to read the "ad" in this issue—Ricketts Big Reduction Sale.

The Greencastle Commandery, No. 11, Knights Templar, will attend the Easter services in a body at the Locust Street Methodist Church next Sunday morning. They will meet at the lodge hall and go from there to the church.

Judge James P. Hughes of the Putnam County Circuit Court, was in Salem, Indiana Monday as a special judge in a case being tried there. Judge Hughes was appointed to serve as special judge in the case by Governor Samuel Ralston. Judge Hughes returned home Tuesday.

Reduction sale at Ricketts Jewelry store begins Saturday, April 11. adv

Miss Gertrude Brill, of Danville, was here Monday to attend the Easter china opening at the studio of Miss Pearl O'Hair on the corner of Poplar street and College avenue.

Thomas Darnell, who was called to this city on account of the serious illness of his mother-in-law, Mrs. H. C. Rudisill, returned to his home in Greenfield Monday.

The attorneys for the A. & C. Stone Company, which company is the defendant in a suit for \$10,000 damages brought by Houston C. Franklin, a local colored preacher, who lost his arm in an accident in the crusher room of the plant, has filed a petition in the Putnam Circuit Court asking a change of venue from Putnam county.

Big reduction sale begins at Ricketts Jewelry Store Saturday, April 11. adv.

The series of revival services at the Stilesville Christian Church, of which Rev. A. L. Beard of this city is pastor, have been a big success during the past week. The revival services are

being conducted by Rev. and Mrs. Crabb of Brazil. Twenty-one accessions to membership have been made to the church during the past week.

Palm Sunday at the Mattox Methodist Church was a day of rejoicing. Since the opening of the church five years ago a debt of \$4,500 has been hanging over the church. Through the efforts of Dr. James B. Campbell of DePauw university, superintendent of the Greencastle district, the amount was raised yesterday and the indebtedness wiped out. The responses were hearty and generous—Terre Haute Star.

See Ricketts Big Reduction Sale "ad" in this issue. adv.

The marriage of Vernie C. Parker of Coatesville and Miss Nettie F. Wallace, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Wallace of Mill Creek twp., occurred Wednesday at 11 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents. They will make their home on a farm owned by the groom near Coatesville.

The 39th annual meeting of the Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Society of the Indianapolis Presbytery will meet at Danville Thursday and Friday of this week. Mrs. G. H. L. Beeman and Mrs. Otis Browning of

the local Presbyterian Society will attend the meeting as delegate. The meeting will open Thursday morning with a business meeting. An address by Miss Elizabeth Brown of Tennessee will be the important address of the afternoon meeting. Dr. J. C. Garrett, who has been doing missionary work in China for several years, will lecture on the work being done there. Mrs. F. A. Arnold will leave Friday for Pueblo, Col., where she will visit Dr. and Mrs. A. B. Lockridge. Mrs. Lockridge is the daughter of Mrs. Arnold.

The special meeting for college women this afternoon in Room 1200, Odd Fellow Building, will be of more than usual interest with the promise of talks by a number of the most clever women of the city. Miss Adelaide S. Baylor of Michigan and Chicago Universities and general assistant in the Department of Public Instruction of Indiana will make the chief address, her subject being "Obligations of Women as Citizens" and Mrs. Meredith Nicholson, representing Vassar College, will preside. Mrs. C. C. North of DePauw university will make a short talk. The meeting begun at 3:45 o'clock to give the teachers of the city an opportunity to attend.—Indianapolis Star.



## SILVERWARE

Sterling Silver Teaspoon, worth \$1 each—sale price .....68c.

Six Rogers Bros., Extra Sectional Plated Teaspoons, worth \$1.25—sale price .....68c.

Six Rogers Bros., Extra Sectional Plated Dessert Spoons, worth \$2.50—sale price .....\$1.48

Six Rogers Bros., Extra Sectional Plated Tablespoons, worth \$3—sale price.....\$1.75

Above goods are guaranteed to wear for five years.

Six Triple Plated Teaspoons, worth \$2.—sale price.....\$1.25

Six Triple Plated Dessert Spoons, worth \$3—sale price.....\$1.75

Six Triple Plated Tablespoons, worth \$3.50—sale price.....\$2.25

Six Triple Plated Knives and Forks, worth \$4.—sale price.....\$2.98

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## GLASS

Cut Glass, Jewel Boxes, Umbrellas, Mesh Bags, and everything in Silver Plated Flat Ware, and a full line of jewelry, such as Rings, Bracelets, Stick Pins, Fobs, etc., all go at prices which were never offered you (quality of goods considered) before in Putnam County.





HOW TO PRODUCE GOOD  
SEED IRISH POTATOES

WASHINGTON, D. C. March 23.—This is the season of the year when the farmer should pay particular attention to seed potatoes, cautions the Department of Agriculture, and the use of high grade seed would increase the returns from the potato crop of the country by many millions of dollars. A conservative estimate of the increase that might be expected from the use of high-grade seed is certainly not less than 10 per cent. Such an increase based on the average production of the past 5 years would amount to over 34,000,000 bushels, having an approximate value of \$21,000,000. Of the many causes which operate to produce a low average potato yield in this country, pure seed is an important one. The American potato grower pays too little attention to his seed potatoes.

The European growers, especially those of Great Britain and Germany, pay very strict attention to the quality and quantity of seed they use. This has led to the differentiation of the potato industry into seed and crop specialists. The seed specialist makes a business of producing high-quality seed, while the crop specialist produces a high-grade table potato. No such differentiation, at least to the same extent, occurs in this country. While it is true that in certain sections there is a well-developed seed potato growing industry, but comparatively few growers in these sections are paying sufficient attention to the elimination of diseased and unproductive strains, or to keeping the variety grown free from mixture with other varieties.

By far the simplest and most promising means of developing high-grade seed potatoes is that of the tuber-unit and hill-selection methods. The former consists in selecting from the seed bin before planting time a considerable number of the most perfectly shaped tubers of from 6 to 8 ounces in weight. When planted these tubers are quartered, as dropped, into 4 or nearly equal parts as possible. This is done by splitting the bud-eye cluster in each direction from seed to stem end of the tuber. The 4 pieces of each tuber are dropped consecutively in the row at a distance of from 10 to 12 inches apart in the furrow. All tubers showing discoloration of the flesh or other evidence of disease should be rejected.

By allowing an additional space between each set of four, the four plants from each tuber are definitely isolated from adjoining ones, and the grower can readily observe any variation in vigor and uniformity between the units planted. This method also enables him to detect any mixtures that may occur in the variety.

At digging time the product of each unit is separately harvested, and a further selection made from the marked units of all those which most nearly approach the size, shape and smoothness desired. The selected tubers should be numbered with both field and unit numbers and separately placed in small sacks. From each of the units retained, 10 of the best tubers should be selected for the next season's planting. It is desirable to maintain the study of each selection on the tuber-unit basis the following season because it permits a more accurate comparison of the behavior of each.

The hill-selection method consists in marking the most promising plants during the growing season. At harvesting time save only those which give greatest promise. Keep the progeny of each hill separate, and take the same data as outlined for the tuber unit. Plant on the tuber-unit basis the following season. For sake of uniformity, a definite number of tubers—5 or more—should be planted from each hill selection. From this point on the methods given in the tuber-unit work should be followed.

The only requirements for the successful practice of the two methods of seed selections are a reasonable degree of painstaking effort on the part of the grower, some 12-inch garden labels, a small pair of balances, a sufficient number of suitable small sacks and a safe place in which to store the selected tubers until required by the

next season's planting. In addition to this, the grower should have a breeding plat in which each season's selections can be developed up to the point of field-planting stock.

The selection of breeding plat need not necessarily be divorced from the general field plat. In most cases it can be more conveniently handled if it is a part of the regular field. All that is required is to set aside as many rows as may be required to plant the selected tubers. These should be preferably on one side of the field so that they can be more readily observed. The planting furrows may be open, and a fertilizer distributed with the potato planter by removing the disks and setting the plow a trifle deeper. If a plow is used in covering, care should be exercised to avoid displacing the seed pieces.

## Obituary.

James Harcourt died at his home near Greencastle March 24, 1914, being about 63 years old. An orphan boy, he came to Indiana about the year 1864 and made his home with David Scott and wife near Stilesville until the death of the former in 1871. Then he went to Milton Scott's a son of David's, and as one of the family made his home there, until his marriage. David Scott was a Justice of Peace and often had James read law to him, which he did with so much ease and correctness of pronunciation for one so young, that the people marveled and wondered where he had acquired such an education. He did not know. Nobody knew how meager were his early opportunities. While at Milton Scott's he continued his education attending Old Asbury a time and prepared himself for a school teacher. This profession he followed for many years, being very successful. All these years he had been laying foundations for two of the remarkable characteristics of life, method and exactness.

He was married to Isabelle A. Brinton Nov. 24, 1878. To this union have been born six children, five living: Theodore C., Curtis, Grace, Ruth and Blanche. These with the mother and three grandchildren, Vivian, Venice and Ralph, are left to mourn the loss of a good husband and father. One they loved and who loved them. They know they will miss his ever watchful care. But their loss is his eternal gain.

While attending Asbury University he made a profession of religion and in January, 1877, united with the Union Valley Missionary Baptist Church near Belle Union, under the preaching of Rev. McElliot, later transferring his membership to the Providence Baptist Church, where he was a deacon and superintendent of the Sunday school for many years, ever faithful and regular in his attendance at church.

He was elected trustee of Jefferson township in 1894, serving six years. He made an excellent school trustee, having been a teacher himself, he took great interest in the schools. He was very careful in selecting teachers and always kept in touch with their work by visiting the schools frequently and attending the township teachers' institute. He was ready at all times to advise and counsel with his teachers. Many times he took a stand contrary to the notions of certain individuals concerning township or school matters, but it made no difference if he thought he was right. Under his guidance the schools reached a high standard. As an officer he made an enviable record, a record above reproach.

In June, 1912, he took charge of the Orphans' Home near Greencastle and continued in charge until his death. He was given the position because of his well-known fitness for handling children and young people. It was always his delight to mingle with young lives, to teach them from books and to train them, as he did his own children, politeness and good manners. He was an honest man, always frank and open in his dealings among men, a good teacher, a good servant, whose work is finished. The Master has said, "Well done good and faithful servant, come up higher."

LIGHTNING CHIEF SOURCE  
OF LOSS SAYS REPORT OF  
INDIANA FIRE MARSHAL

Lightning leads all other sources in the number of fire losses it has caused, according to the report of the Indiana state fire marshal for the first eight months of the existence of his office. More than 1,000 losses have been reported in the state from this cause alone, costing property owners a total of \$864,221.

Other causes of Indiana fires during the first eight months covered by the fire marshal's report, and the number of fires resulting from each, are:

Adjoining	605
Burning rubbish	129
Ashes against wood	63
Carelessness with matches	108
Children with matches	152
Defective furnace	9
Defective stove	28
Defective flue	528
Defective wiring	108
Fireworks	66
Gas explosion	32
Gas jet	27
Gasoline explosion	131
Gasoline stove	146
Incendiary	104
Kerosene explosion	11
Kerosene lamp	92
Kerosene stove	108
Sparks from chimneys	714
Sparks from locomotives	231
Spontaneous combustion	107
Unknown	1,488

The value of buildings and contents upon which fires have occurred in Indiana during the period covered by the report is given as \$27,688,421.

Fenton Lawler was called to this city Thursday night from Noblesville on account of the serious illness of his son, James, who with his mother, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Webster of this city. Mr. and Mrs. Lawler are former residents of this city.

GOOD SEED CORN THE  
SECRET OF GOOD CROP.

[This is the first of a series of articles prepared by the Central National Bank and Central Trust Company in their campaign for more and better corn.]

More bushels of grain can be produced on an acre of land in Indiana when planted to corn than when planted to any other grain crop. This being the case, however, it is also true that corn removes more plant food from the soil than any other grain crop, hence in order to make successful corn production possible it is necessary to keep the soil well supplied with available plant food.

Making sure of good seed is one of the simplest and cheapest ways of increasing the corn crop. "Good seed" means a variety adapted to the soil, seed ears from well-developed stalks, seed strong in vitality, and kernels graded to uniform size for the planter. By selecting a good variety which is adapted to his soil and climatic conditions the farmer can add much to his crop yield without additional expense. It costs no more to tend a good variety than it does to tend a poor one.

Corn is more sensitive to changed conditions than any other crop, and the ideal way to secure good seed corn is to produce it at home. For Central Indiana Reid's Yellow Dent, Leaming and Boone County White are found to be the most satisfactory varieties. A common mistake made by most corn growers is in trying to raise corn that is too large or too late for their conditions. By selecting only solid, well-matured ears there is no danger of getting the variety too large or too late.

The ears selected should be rather cylindrical in shape, strong and symmetrical developed, but not too thick. A ear having three inches of circumference for every four inches of length is about right.

The rows of kernels should be straight and the kernels themselves uniform in size and shape. The indentation should be rather rough, but not so rough as to incline the kernels to chaffiness. The seed ears should always be a little rougher than the average of the crop, otherwise the variety will become smoother each year, and the kernels shallower. The dent should run squarely across the kernel and should have no sharp or pointed margins. The kernels should be deep and strongly developed. The tip of the kernels, especially should be strong to give room for a large germ, which is essential to strong vitality and high feeding value. The edges should be nearly straight but they must converge toward the tips sufficiently to allow the rows to fit fairly close together. An excellent size and shape kernel is one measuring about five-sixteenths in width, strong five-eighths in length and one-sixth of an inch in thickness.

[The next article will take up a discussion of the germination test and its importance in the yield.]

GREENCASLE RANKS  
HIGH IN HEALTH CONTEST

Greencastle completed the first month of the Indiana Good Health Contest with a standing of 99.965 and ranks seventeenth in the list of over seventy cities which are competing.

Sixteen out of the forty-nine towns reporting send a perfect record. Albany, Berne, Bourbon, Brook, Covington, Crown Point, Fort Branch, Jonesboro, Kentland, Monticello, Noblesville, Mooresville, North Vernon, Plymouth, Remington and Seelyville report not a single new case of any of the ten communicable diseases on which the contest is based; and likewise no deaths from any of these diseases. Greencastle follows closely with a percentage of 99.965.

But the fact that a third of a given number of towns in mid-winter should be wholly free from the most common of infectious diseases is a high tribute to the health officer entrusted with the work of safeguarding health, and shows a condition that must sooner or later receive the recognition that such efforts and successes merit.

Every city that reported has an unexpectedly good record, for it must be remembered that "new cases" count for two-thirds while "deaths" count for only one-third in computing the

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Squire W. J. Ashton is the proud possessor of what he terms to be a "suffragette hen." Mr. Ashton says he has a hen in his chicken park that can out do any rooster when it comes to crowing, that he ever heard. The hen awakening its master each morning with a lusty crow that would make any rooster ashamed of itself. Mr. Ashton is positive that it is a hen that is doing the good job of crowing for he has no roosters in his chicken park. The hen surely has joined the suffragette forces for its wants recognition from somebody, judging from the action and noise the hen makes.

averages.

The report for the month is as follows:

	Percent.
Albany	100.
Berne	100.
Bourbon	100.
Brooks	100.
Covington	100.
Crown Point	100.
Fort Branch	100.
Jonesboro	100.
Kentland	100.
Monticello	100.
Noblesville	100.
Mooresville	100.
North Vernon	100.
Plymouth	100.
Remington	100.
Seelyville	100.
Greencastle	99.965
Greensburg	99.963
Columbia City	99.961
Marion	99.959
New Castle	99.958
Winchester	99.953
LaPorte	99.949
Frankfort	99.946
Hope	99.945
Brazil	99.943
Odon	99.941
Michigan City	99.938
South Bend	99.918
Brownstown	99.911
Tipton	99.905
Connersville	99.902
Tell City	99.901
Hammond	99.895
Bluffton	99.890
Oxford	99.868
Terre Haute	99.859
Union City	99.834
Bloomington	99.804
Decatur	99.764
Greenfield	99.685
Muncie	99.659
Liberty	99.661
Rochester	99.584
Williamsport	99.572
Edinburg	99.450

With the coming of spring contagious disease will show an appreciable decline because people open their doors and windows to the fresh air, which, with sunlight, is Nature's method for combating disease.

The usual precautions, however, should not be neglected. For instance, before the house cleaning, it is advisable to thoroughly fumigate the house, especially if there has been any contagious disease in the community. The State Board of Health of Iowa makes such a recommendation in their official bulletin.

Tuberculosis, which authorities tell us, claims a victim in the United States every three minutes, must be guarded against at all times. The bacteria, or germs, are especially tenacious to life, thriving best in dark, damp places, which accounts for the unusual prevalence of the disease in congested portions of large cities.

Fresh air and right living are the best known preventives of tuberculosis. The person who breathes plenty of fresh air and whose body has wholesome, nourishing food has little to fear. See to it that the factory, the school, the store, the streetcar and the theatre are always well ventilated. Above all, sleep with your bedroom windows open. It will help you to get rid of that "tired feeling" when you arise in the morning.

There is this fact to be remembered: preventable diseases are preventable, therefore, they should be prevented. Can you imagine a world with no small-pox, no tuberculosis, no measles and none of many other diseases which are so common today? Yet such a world is not only a possibility but a probability, for scientists have proven that all of these diseases are contagious and that the germ which carries the contagion can be destroyed if the proper means are taken.

But, results can be secured only when everyone fully realizes the opportunities and are educated in the ways and means of preventing preventable disease. When that is done, possibilities will become probabilities and prophecies which now seem visionary will be fulfilled.

Roscoe Lisby, an aged employee of the Vandalia Railroad, has resigned his position as flagman at the Bloomington street crossing in south Greencastle. He has been one of the best watchmen that has ever worked at the Bloomington street crossing. He was strictly attentive to his work and was very careful in allowing people to cross the tracks. He has many friends who will regret to hear of his resignation from duty and will hope that his successor will be as attentive to his business as has Mr. Lisby during his many years' service for the railroad company.

Miss Leone Beem, of Cloverdale, and Jesse Wingler, of near Martinsville, eloped and were married at Paris, Ill., Wednesday night. The young couple led their friends to believe that they were going to the moving picture show at Cloverdale but came to Greencastle and went from here to Paris. They returned to Cloverdale Thursday morning.

Chauncey Dorsett, of Cloverdale, who has been in a hospital in Indianapolis for the past five weeks because of injuries received in an automobile accident, returned to Cloverdale Friday evening. His injured arm is getting along as well as could be expected. The arm was badly dislocated in the accident.

## Couldn't Walk!

"I used to be troubled with a weakness peculiar to women," writes Mrs. Anna Jones, of Kenny, Ill. "For nearly a year, I could not walk, without holding my sides. I tried several different doctors, but I grew worse. Finally, our druggist advised Cardui for my complaint. I was so thin, my weight was 115. Now, I weigh 163, and I am never sick. I ride horseback as good as ever. I am in fine health at 52 years."

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A Message  
To Women

Those of Middle Age Especially.

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"I was visiting at a friend's house one day and she thought I needed Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I took it and have gained eight pounds, have a good appetite and am feeling better every day. Everybody is asking me what I am doing and I recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. You may publish this letter if you wish and I hope others who have the same complaint will see it and get health from your medicine as I did."—Mrs. A. HORNUNG, Stanton St., Buffalo, N. Y.

## Was A Blessing To This Woman.

So. RICHMOND, VA.—"I was troubled with a bearing down pains, a female weakness and could not stand long on my feet. Of all the medicines I took nothing helped me like Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I am now regular and am getting along fine. I cannot praise the Compound too much. It has been a blessing to me and I hope it will be to other women."—Mrs. D. TYLEN, 23 W. Clopton St., South Richmond, Va.

## Pains in Side, Could Hardly Stand.

LODI, WIS.—"I was in a bad condition, suffering from a female trouble, and I had such pains in my sides I could hardly move. Before I had taken the whole of one bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I felt better, and now I am well and can do a day's work. I tell everybody what your medicine has done for me."—Mrs. JOHN THOMPSON, Lodi, Wisconsin.

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7 Headache, Sick Headache, Vertigo.....	25
8 Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Weak Stomach.....	25
9 Croup, Hoarse Cough, Laryngitis.....	25
10 Salt Rheum, Eruptions.....	25
11 Rheumatism, Lumbago.....	25
12 Fever and Ague, Malaria.....	25
13 Piles, Blind or Bleeding, External, Internal.....	25
14 Catarrh, Influenza, Cold in Head.....	25
15 Whooping Cough.....	25
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17 Kidney Disease.....	25
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JACKSON TOWNSHIP.  
I will be at my office in Jackson township every Friday to transact the business of my office as trustee.

BENJAMIN WALLS.  
I will be at my residence each Wednesday and Saturday of each week to transact the business of my office.

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I will be at my residence each Wednesday on each Wednesday to transact the business of my office.

FRED TODD.  
I will be at my residence in Marion township on Friday of each week and on Monday of each week to transact the business of my office.

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Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed by the court of the Circuit Court of Putnam county, State of Indiana, Administrator of the estate of Margaret A. Coffey, late of Putnam County, Indiana, deceased.

FOR RENT—Phone 300. ---  
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Notice to Non-Residents.  
The State of Indiana, Putnam County, ss:

In the Putnam Circuit Court, March Term, 1914.

Case S. Peck vs. Andrew Cakely et al. Complaint No. ---

Now comes the plaintiff, by Lyon & Peck, their attorneys, and files his complaint herein together with an affidavit that said defendant Andrew Cakely, the Unknown heirs at law, devisees and legatees of Andrew Cakely, deceased, Mary Unison, the Unknown heirs at law, devisees and legatees of Mary Unison, deceased, Leigh Spurgin, the unknown heirs at law, legatees and devisees of Leigh Spurgin, deceased, Emery Beauchamp, the unknown heirs at law, legatees and devisees of Emery Beauchamp, deceased, are non-residents of the State of Indiana, and that this action is brought to quiet title to real estate in Putnam County, Indiana.

Notice is therefore hereby given to said defendants that unless they be and appear on the 23rd day of the next term of the Putnam Circuit Court, to wit: the 29th day of May, A. D. 1914, at the Court House in the City of Greencastle, in said County and State, and answer or demur to said complaint, the same will be heard and determined in their absence.

Witness my name, and the seal of said Court, affixed at the City of Greencastle, this 1st day of April, 1914.

Arthur J. Hamrick, Clerk.

Lyon & Peck, Pliffs' Attys.

3t H-D, April 3rd.

SPECIAL NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

TAXES ARE HIGHER THIS YEAR!

Many will question the amount of their taxes and ask concerning their personal property assessments and land appraisement. Mistakes will occur where the assessment of property and the extending and collecting of taxes are done by as many different officers.

The Treasurer and Auditor will cheerfully correct all mistakes for which they are responsible and the county assessor will explain the assessment of personal property and where possible adjust if in error.

Taxes are due Jan. 1 and payable at this office in full, or at the option of the taxpayer, one-half including road taxes, on or before the first Monday in May, 1914, (being the fifth day) and the remaining one-half on or before the first Monday in November, 1914. Road tax receipts must be presented on or before the first Monday in May or they will not be credited, as the law requires that the road tax be included in the first installment only.

If the first installment of taxes is not paid within the limit set by law the taxes for the entire year become due and delinquent and with penalty is extended by the Auditor and charged to the Treasurer. The state is interested in this extension and the Auditor and Treasurer are both personally liable for any penalties that might be refunded.

Under no circumstances can the Treasurer alter the duplicate. He can make no reduction in taxes and he can not refund money once paid in. Errors must be corrected through the Auditor's office.

As the taxpayer may not know the location of each person's property, tax payers should designate the property on which they wish to pay, and see that all property is included in their receipt. If they have land in more than one township or corporation, or desire to pay taxes on lands or lots not in their name, call the Treasurer's attention to the matter, carefully examine receipts, see if they describe all property (personal and real), and are otherwise correct before leaving the office, and if any errors are evident, have them corrected at once.

The Tax Duplicate is not a transfer book and when, for any year, the Tax Duplicate is made with reference to the property on the first day of March or said year, the duplicate remains forever unchanged as to showing of property and in whose names changes on the transfer books or prompt recording of deeds to the contrary notwithstanding.

Property will appear in same name for the payment of the second installment. Assignees, Guardians, Administrators and others who pay taxes on property in trust, and persons whose taxes are complicated, such as undivided estates, etc., are earnestly requested to settle such taxes before the last few days, as it requires considerable time to make divisions and separate receipts. Thus avoid mistakes which might happen during the rush of the last few days of taxpaying.

"All property, both Real and Personal, shall be liable for the payment of all taxes, penalties, interest and cost charged to the owner thereof in such county, and no partial payment of any such taxes, penalties, interest or costs, shall discharge or release any part or portion of such property until the whole is paid, which lien shall in no wise be effected or destroyed by any sale or transfer of any such personal property, and shall attach on the first day of April, annually for the taxes of such year."—From Section 173, Acts 1891.

All Ditch Taxes and Street Improvements must be called for separately.

The taxpayer often has personal property and poll assessed to him separately from his real estate especially when the land is in joint title and accordingly must have a receipt therefor.

Delinquent taxes must be paid before the current tax.

The Treasurer will not be responsible for penalties and charges on delinquent taxes, resulting from omission of the person paying such tax to state definitely on what property, in whose name and in what township or corporation it was assessed.

Very respectfully,

H. H. RUNYAN,

Treasurer Putnam County.

Notice is hereby given that the Advisory Board of Floyd Township, Putnam County, State of Indiana, will receive sealed bids at my office until April 23, 1914, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the repair and remodeling of two school buildings located in district No. 8 and No. 9, according to plans and specifications now on file in my office. Said school buildings to be completed July 15, 1914. The right is hereby reserved to reject any or all bids.

Signed—Fred Todd, Trustee of Floyd township, Putnam County, Indiana.

1H-D—Apl 10th.

Nothing So Good for a Cough or Cold.

When you have a cold you want the best medicine obtainable so as to get rid of it with the least possible delay. There are many who consider Chamberlain's Cough Remedy unsurpassed. Mrs. J. Boroff, Elida, Ohio, says, "Ever since my daughter Ruth was cured of a severe cold and cough by Chamberlain's Cough Remedy two years ago, I have felt kindly disposed toward the manufacturers of that preparation. I know of nothing so quick to relieve a cough or cure a cold." For sale by all dealers.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

Notice to Non-Residents.

State of Indiana, Putnam County, ss:

Putnam Circuit Court, March Term, 1914.

James Alspaugh vs. Millison Goddard, et al.

Now comes the plaintiff by W. M. Sutherland, his attorney, and files complaint herein, together with an affidavit that said defendants, Frank Alspaugh, Ona Alspaugh, William Alspaugh, Lily Alspaugh, John Alspaugh, Phil Alspaugh, Andrew Scheene, Andrew Schini, Rebecca Alspaugh, Jane Shipley, George Shipley, Mary Fowler, Peter Shipley, and William Shipley, the heirs, representatives, devisees, legatees, executors, administrators, husbands, wives, receivers, lessees, and assigns of each of the above named defendants, are non-residents of the state of Indiana.

Notice is therefore hereby given said defendants that unless they be and appear on the 23rd day of the next term of the Putnam Circuit Court, the same being the 29th day of May, 1914, at the court house in the city of Greencastle, in said county and state and answer or demur to said complaint the same will be heard and determined in their absence.

Witness my name and the seal of said court affixed at the city of Greencastle, this 6th day of April, 1914.

Arthur J. Hamrick, Clerk.

W. M. Sutherland, Atty. 4t ED Apl 10

Rheumatic Pains Relieved.

Why suffer from rheumatism when relief may be had at so small a cost? Mrs. Elmer Hatch, Peru, Ind., writes, "I have been subject to attacks of rheumatism for years. Chamberlain's Liniment always relieves me immediately, and I take pleasure in recommending it to others." 25 and 50 cent bottles. For sale by all dealers.

Notice to Non-Residents.

The State of Indiana, Putnam County, ss:

In the Putnam Circuit Court, March Term, 1914.

Eliza F. Moran, Nellie J. McDonald vs. Joseph C. Fortner, et al.

Now comes the plaintiffs, by Lyon & Peck, their attorneys, and file their complaint herein, to recind contract, together with an affidavit that said defendants, Joseph C. Fortner, Minnie Groves and Charles Groves are each non-residents of the State of Indiana.

Notice is therefore hereby given said defendants that unless they be and appear on the 19th day of the next Term of the Putnam Circuit Court, the same being May 25th, A. D. 1914, at the Court House in the City of Greencastle, in said County and State, and answer or demur to said complaint, the same will be heard and determined in their absence.

Witness my name and the seal of said Court, affixed at the City of Greencastle, this 23rd day of March, A. D., 1914.

Arthur Hamrick, Clerk.

Lyon & Peck, Pliffs' Attys.

3t H-D Mch 27th.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

Notice of Final Settlement of Estate.

Notice is hereby given to the creditors, heirs and legatees of William M. Allen, deceased, to appear in the Putnam Circuit Court, held at Greencastle, Indiana, on the 20th day of April, 1914, and show cause, if any, why the Final Settlement Accounts with the estate of said decedent should not be approved; and said heirs are notified to then and there make proof of heirship, and receive their distributive shares.

Witness, The Clerk of said Court, this 20th day of March, 1914.

Arthur J. Hamrick, Clerk Putnam Circuit Court.

3t P-D April 3rd.

DO YOU TAKE THE HERALD?

CONFIRMED PROOF.

Residents of Greencastle Cannot Doubt What Has Been Twice Proved.

In gratitude for complete relief from aches and pains of bad backs—from distressing kidney ills—thousands have publicly recommended Doan's Kidney Pills. Residents of this vicinity who so testified years ago, now say the results were permanent. This testimony doubly proves the worth of Doan's Kidney Pills to Greencastle kidney sufferers.

Mrs. M. Shelley, South St., Danville, Ind., says: "I suffered for a long time from backache that robbed me of strength and energy. Hearing of Doan's Kidney Pills I got a supply and began taking them. Since then I have not had lumbago and my kidneys have acted properly."

Re-Endorsement.

On June 6, 1912, Mrs. Shelley added: "My former public statement in praise of Doan's Kidney Pills was all right in every particular. I am glad to confirm all I said about this remedy."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Notice of Insolvency.

In the matter of the estate of Ernest R. McCamack, deceased.

In the Putnam Circuit Court. No. 3763.

Notice is hereby given that upon petition filed in said Court by the Administrator of said estate, setting up the insufficiency of the estate of said decedent to pay the debts and liabilities thereof, the Judge of said Court, did, on the 24th day of March, 1914, find said estate to be probably insolvent, and ordered the same to be settled accordingly. The creditors of said estate are therefore hereby notified of such insolvency and required to file their claims against said estate for allowance.

Witness, the Clerk and seal of said Court at Greencastle, Indiana, this 24th day of March, 1914.

Arthur J. Hamrick, Clerk.

3t H-D Mch 27th.

CASTORIA For Infants and Children In Use For Over 30 Years Always bears the Signature of

Notice to Non-Residents.

The State of Indiana, Putnam County, ss:

In the Putnam Circuit Court, March Term, 1914.

Lue M. Wilkins vs. David G. Wilkins. Complaint No. 8590.

Now comes the plaintiff, by Theodore Crawley, her attorney, and files her complaint herein, for divorce, together with an affidavit that said defendant, David G. Wilkins, is a non-resident of the State of Indiana.

Notice is therefore hereby given said defendant that unless he be and appear on the 43d day of the next Term of the Putnam Circuit Court, being the 25th day of May, A. D. 1914, at the Court House in the City of Greencastle, in said County and State, and answer or demur to said complaint, the same will be heard and determined in his absence.

Witness my name, and the seal of said Court, affixed at the City of Greencastle, this 31st day of March, A. D., 1914.

Arthur J. Hamrick, Clerk.

Theodore Crawley, Pliffs' Atty.

3t H-D April 3rd.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

DR. O. F. OVERSTREET

Dentist

Office in Bence Building South side of Greencastle Ind.

A Cure for Sour Stomach.

Mrs. Wm. Thompson, of Battle Creek, Mich., writes: "I have been troubled with indigestion, sour stomach and bad breath. After taking two bottles of Chamberlain's Tablets I am well. These tablets are splendid—none better." For sale by all dealers.

The death of Thomas Campbell, of Coatesville at the Fletcher Sanitarium at Indianapolis occurred Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock. He had been taking treatment at the sanitarium at Indianapolis for several weeks. He is a well-known farmer and resided near Coatesville.

AFTER BELLE GUNNESS AGAIN.

LaPorte, Ind., April 6.—It has developed here that Chief of Police Antiss, who caused the statement to be published that he had gone to the bedside of his sick sister in Michigan, is in New York city investigating a rumor that Belle Gunness, murderess, is in that city. The fact that the chief was in New York, was admitted Sunday night by Deputy Prosecuting Attorney Warden, who refused further information.

Children Cry for Fletcher's

CASTORIA

The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over 30 years, has borne the signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher* and has been made under his personal supervision since its infancy. Allow no one to deceive you in this. All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but Experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Experience against Experiment.

What is CASTORIA

Castoria is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It is pleasant. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other Narcotic substance. Its age is its guarantee. It destroys Worms and allays Feverishness. For more than thirty years it has been in constant use for the relief of Constipation, Flatulency, Wind Colic, all Teething Troubles and Diarrhoea. It regulates the Stomach and Bowels, assimilates the Food, giving healthy and natural sleep. The Children's Panacea—The Mother's Friend.

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OSTEOPATHY

adjusts mechanical disorders; removes pressure on nerves and obstructions to the body fluids, quickens assimilation, eliminates waste matter; thus Nature's forces are set free to build from simple food all parts of the body. All curable chronic diseases are treated successfully by the Spaulhurst Osteopathic Physicians. Eleven years in Greencastle. Only osteopaths in Putnam county. Donner Block, Phone 226. Lady attendant.

F. E. DAYTON, Resident Member of Spaulhurst Staff.

GRADUALLY, the world is outgrowing its superstitions. "Boogey Men" are out of fashion. We no longer look for moons over our left shoulder.

A cross-eyed darkey is only a joke. One of the signs of the times is a greater faith. We are more given to believe in our fellow man—not that we have more credulity, but that we have better judgment. So it happens—we accept a man's signed advertisement the same as his signed check. HE MUST be good for it, else he would not put his signature to it. You can put your faith in any of our advertisers. Their signatures are their guarantees.

POPULAR YOUNG PEOPLE WED MONDAY EVENING

At the home of Samuel Walden on east Elm street Monday evening occurred the wedding of his daughter, Miss Fannie, and William Clingenpiel of Filmore. Rev. Hickman of this city performed the ceremony. Only a few friends and relatives of the young couple were present for the ceremony.

The house was beautifully decorated with wedding bells and white and red carnations. The bride was attired in a magnificent gown of white embroidery. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Clingenpiel will make their home in Filmore, where the former is employed in a barber shop of that town. Both Mr. and Mrs. Clingenpiel are well-known and popular young people of this vicinity.

Those present for the ceremony were: Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Clingenpiel, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Siddons, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Christie, Mr. and Mrs. Alec McMains, Mr. and Mrs. James Pierce, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hunter, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Sallust, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Cooper, Andrew Clingenpiel, Raymond Siddons, Miss Fern Clingenpiel, Miss Hallie Evans, Miss Vivian Siddons and Miss Lucile Siddons.

The condition of William Wells of Madison township, who suffered a stroke of paralysis of the right side, which affected his throat, remains about the same. For five days Mr. Wells has not been able to swallow a drop of water or take a morsel of food. The attending physician, however, believes that if Mr. Wells can be supported for four or five days longer the paralysis of the throat will be relieved and his chances for recovery will be greatly improved.

DO YOU TAKE THE HERALD?

Birthday Surprise Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Estes entertained Saturday evening in honor of Mr. Estes' birthday anniversary. The evening was spent in playing games after which refreshments were served.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. William Patterson and daughter Elizabeth, Mr. and Mrs. Alva Bryan and sons William and Walter, Mr. and Mrs. Louie Schatchel, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Burk, Mr. and Mrs. John Williamson, Mr. and Mrs. Wellington Crawley, Mr. and Mrs. John Goddard, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Gentry, Mrs. Effie Burks, Miss Nellie Browning, Miss Elsie Browning, Miss Pearl Mason, Miss Marie Buis, Miss Opal Grimes, Miss Murriel Hammond, Miss Opal Scott, Miss Venetta Welch, Miss Hattie Welsh, Miss Marjory Williamson, Miss Ethel Schatchel, Claude Burk, Guy Williamson, Lee Williams, Roy Newgent, Lloyd McGill, and Clyde Burks. Everybody left at a late hour stating a royal good time and wishing Mr. Estes many more such happy birthdays.

A FORMER JUDGE OF PUTNAM COURT DEAD.

SPENCER, Ind., April 5.—John C. Robinson, dean of the Supreme bar and one of the best known attorneys in southern Indiana, died of pneumonia at his home in this city early this morning.

Judge Robinson was born at New Salem, Rush county, Indiana, in 1840. He was educated in the common school and at Indiana University, where he received the degree of bachelor of arts in 1861. Coming to Spencer in 1865 he engaged in the practice of law and became active in Democratic politics. In 1872 he was elected prosecuting attorney of the district comprising the counties of Owen, Morgan, Putnam, Clay, Vigo, Sullivan, Greene and Monroe.

Endicott Builds Garage.

Roachdale, Ind., April 6.—Bill Endicott, of auto racing fame, is having a large garage built, and will open an automobiles hop here.



Correspondence

HIGHLAND LAWN.

The farmers are well pleased with the way their wheat is looking.  
 Ross Wells and Luella Clow spent last Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Toney and family.  
 Mrs. James Garner spent Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Charles Allen.  
 Miss Bula Toney spent Wednesday and Thursday with her aunt, Mrs. Charley Toney, in Greencastle.  
 James and Dulce Torr attended church at Limesdale Sunday night.  
 Mrs. Finnis Whitted and daughters, Edythe and Thelma, called on Mrs. Frank Toney Thursday afternoon.  
 Mrs. James Garner visited with Mrs. Walter Torr Friday afternoon.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Edward Watts called on Mr. and Mrs. Walter Torr Sunday afternoon.  
 A large crowd was in town Saturday from this vicinity to attend the Hanna opening.  
 Quite a large crowd attended the party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Brackney Wednesday night.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Julius Marsh and Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Torr called on Mr. and Mrs. Charles Allen Sunday afternoon.  
 Miss Luella Clow has returned to her home in Anderson after a week's visit with relatives and friends.  
 Come again Vivalia. We are always glad to hear from you.

MALTA.

Several from this place attended the funeral of Thomas Campbell last Sunday.  
 Mrs. Will Shuck and Mrs. Emma Morgan called to see Mrs. Frank Garrett last Monday afternoon.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Austin Smith and son, Mrs. Emma Morgan and children and Jewel and Eugene Campbell visited Mr. and Mrs. Will Shuck Sunday afternoon.  
 Mrs. James Duncan and son visited relatives near Cloverdale last Friday.  
 Mrs. Jess Elliott visited with Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Nichols Sunday.  
 Mrs. Alice Ransom and daughter, Marie, went to Coatesville last Saturday afternoon.  
 Miss Avis Knetzer visited with Mrs. Ina Perry one day this week.  
 Ira Brothers, Miss Lizzie Bohannon, George Smith and Miss Frances Bohannon visited Mr. and Mrs. James Smith last Thursday evening.  
 Miss Cora Harlan, of Reno, is staying with Mrs. Austin Smith.  
 Mr. and Mrs. George High, of Oklahoma, and Wilson High, of Ohio, are visiting their sister, Mrs. James Smith, this week.  
 The S. C. club met with Mrs. Will Shuck last Tuesday afternoon. The line of fancy work they made is very beautiful. They had a good social time and are sure making some fine work. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Jess Coffin April 14th.

POPLAR GROVE.

Frank Merideth and wife spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wyant.  
 Opal Stroup, of near Putnamville, is visiting a few days with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. George Lasley.  
 Dennis Williams, of Cloverdale, visited relatives Sunday in our community.  
 Miss Olive Herbert, of near Cunot, spent Sunday with Clara and May Jones.  
 Mrs. Sarah Cline and Cordia Gardner visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. William Taber.  
 W. A. Allen and wife spent Sunday with Albert Williams and family near Putnamville.

BOBTOWN.

The prospects for a bumper wheat crop was never better in this vicinity.  
 Harry Moore, of Greencastle, and George Aker and daughter, Flossie, of Reelsville were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Evans.  
 Wesley Neese, formerly of this place, but now of Minnesota, is in a serious condition at the Union Hospital in Terre Haute and is not expected to live.  
 There will be a Sunday school organized at the Mill Creek church next Sunday.  
 The farmers have begun sowing oats.

George Neese and family, of Owen County, visited Charles Evans Sunday.  
 Dr. Neese, of Poland, has been on the sick list.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Tom Phillips, of Brazil, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Aker Phillips.  
 Mr. Lisby, county road superintendent, was in this vicinity last week.  
 J. N. Matkins, of Spencer, was in this vicinity last week.

FILMORE, R. R. NO. 2.

The farmers have begun sowing oats in this vicinity.  
 W. H. O'Neal and family visited Otis Cosner and family Sunday.  
 Dial Mark and family spent Sunday with W. O. Foster and family.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Otho Meek visited the former's father in Greensburg last Sunday.  
 W. H. O'Neal was in Cloverdale last Friday.  
 The measles are numerous in this vicinity.

COATESVILLE R. R. 1.

Farmers are getting in a hurry to get to plowing.  
 Plant your potatoes on good Friday.  
 The schools in Floyd township closed last Friday.  
 Norman Shots and family visited Simon Jones and family Sunday.  
 Chester Pickett and family and Isaac Hinkle and family visited Claude Malayer Sunday.  
 Mrs. Anna Walton is visiting with friends here.  
 Vahl and Vaughn Walton spent one day last week with their grandparents.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Ader entertained the pastor at dinner Saturday.

Buchanan & Leasley at New Maysville have dissolved partnership.  
 James Martin was badly injured Sunday while running an automobile. The machine overturned with him and rendered him unconscious for a time.  
 Mrs. Hattie Hinkle called on Mrs. Bettie Lewis Monday evening.

FINCASTLE.

Ralph and Anita Foshier spent the latter part of the week with relatives in Ladoga.

Olive, Neal and Glenn Everman and Leslie Brothers visited Ethel and Earl Watson Friday night.

Sam Steele and family, of Racoon, spent Sunday afternoon with Lonnie Steele and family.

Miss Ethel Watson spent Wednesday night in Roachdale.

Miss Olive Everman visited the Misses Gracie and Chasie Young Saturday.

Miss Ruth Bridges, who is teaching music in the northern part of the state, was at home the latter part of the week.

Miss Gertrude Terry has returned home from Roachdale, where she has been staying with her sister, Mrs. Cleve Rogers.

The sudden death of Mrs. Cora Stutsman Saturday morning was a great shock to her many friends of this community.

EEL RIVER HEIGHTS.

The Sewing Circle met with Mrs. Harry Higgins Wednesday evening.  
 Vern Silvey and wife and Otto Bymaster and family visited Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Barker Wednesday.

The young folks enjoyed a social at William Keck's Tuesday night.

Sunday visitors: Chas. Dean and family at D. H. Barker's; Roy Gordon and wife with Gran Gordon, Jake Eggers and family at Sam Crosby's; George Jeffries and wife at Vern Silvey's.

STILESVILLE.

Harry Sharp and wife, of Cartersburg, spent the week-end with Ernest McHaffie.

Mrs. Mary Webster and children, of Filmore, visited Mrs. Frank Lineberry over Sunday.

E. R. Rohards and daughter, Mary, were in Greencastle Monday.

The revival meeting will continue until April 12. Twenty-two have united with the church up to this date. Sunday was a very busy day. At 9:30 was the Sunday school rally at which 150 were present. The morning sermon and communion. Next a bountiful dinner was served to a large crowd in the basement at the school house.

In the afternoon Rev. Crabb delivered an address to the various lodges. In the evening the sermon was "Love, Courtship and Marriage." Special music through the day. Rev. Beard, the pastor, and Rev. Brown assisted in the services.

On Monday evening, April 13, Rev. Crabb will give a lecture on the Holy City. Mrs. Crabb, who is an elocutionist and soloist, will assist him and

also Miss Caroline Johnson, musician. Admission 25c. and 15c.

Miss Ruth Robinson is assisting Maggie Lewis at the telephone exchange.

Miss Hallie York was in Indianapolis two days of last week attending the second spring millinery opening.

Mr. Boyd and family, of Delphi were guests of Claude Boyd over Sunday.

Rev. Beard and family, of Greencastle, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Rohards over Sunday.

Mrs. Laura Miller spent Saturday in Greencastle.

The Social Helpers of the Christian Church met with Mrs. Minnie Masters Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Gertrude Mills announces her annual easter display of spring millinery on Friday and Saturday, April 10 and 11.

NEW MAYSVILLE.

Lois Kendall and Opal Boling were guests of Opal Grantham Sunday.

Mrs. Wright is spending the week with her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Ader.

Wm. Rooker's entertained Watson Job and family and Thomas Shackelford and family Sunday.

John Spencer and family visited relatives near Roachdale Sunday.

Mrs. Newton and daughter spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Dickerson.

J. T. Higgins and family, Harry Higgins and family, Herbert Stults, and Dr. Cullipher and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles McFerran.

L. B. Mill and wife spent Sunday in Clayton and report Mrs. Allen no better.

John Miller and family, Orville Elliott and family visited Neal Elliott's Sunday.

Mrs. Haines is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Ott Ader.

Sunday school at the Christian church next Sunday and special Easter service. Everyone invited.  
 The Ladies' Aid Society meets with Mrs. Weekly next Wednesday.  
 Maysville now has four merchants.

HEBRON

Alvan Clodfelter had his foot dislocated in the instep by a horse falling on it.

Dr. Foster amputated George Surber's arm at the elbow Sunday.  
 Mrs. Oscar Stutsman was buried at Hebron cemetery Tuesday.

CROYS CREEK.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Raab were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Raab Sunday.

G. E. Ritter made a business trip to Brazil Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Long and daughters, Leona and Susie, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Raab were Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chaney.

John Logan, who is attending school in Terre Haute, visited homefolks on Sunday.

The funeral of Mrs. Workman was held at Croys' Creek church at 2 p. m. Saturday.

Miss Ida Johnson visited her sister, Mrs. Harriett Evans, Sunday.

PUTNAMVILLE.

Wet weather and bad colds seem to be in fashion here this week.

The grade school closed here last Saturday. The high school will last another month.

Several from here spent Saturday in Greencastle.

The Bible Study Class met last Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Mayle.

There will be another debate at the school house next Saturday night.

Mrs. Orville Collins was called to Terre Haute last Friday on account of the illness of her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. William Day spent Sunday with Luke Johnson and family.

Mrs. Sallie Collins, of Cunot, is visiting relatives here.

Miss Amanda Crawley spent Sunday with Miss Opra Fry.

Misses Ruby Bachelder and Eleanor Perry spent the night with Miss Octavia Collins last Monday.

Several from here attended church at Limesdale last Sunday night.

L. S. Perry and family spent Sunday at the home of D. L. Vandament of Greencastle.

W. J. Hendrix and family, Miss Octavia Collins and Helen and Charles Ewing spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. William O'Neal.

Miss Pauline Glover and Cecile Williams spent Monday night with Mrs. Watson.

Miss Marjorie Perry has gone to Terre Haute to attend normal.

Miss Opra Fry spent the night with Miss Amanda Crawley Monday.

The Progressives met here Saturday night, April 4, and nominated the following ticket: William Lewis for trustee; Ernest Smith for assessor; Chester Humphrey and Ernest Jones for road supervisors; William McClure, J. A. Harcourt and Luther Easter for justice of peace and J. G. Gallion for constable.

NOTICE TO DEMOCRATIC COMMITTEEMEN.

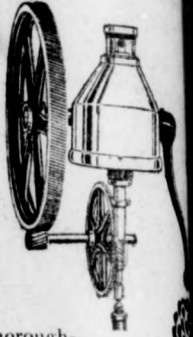
The members of the Democratic County Central Committee will meet Saturday morning, April 11, at 10 o'clock a. m. in the grand jury room in the court house at Greencastle to elect a county chairman for the ensuing two years and to transact any other business that may come before them.

ARTHUR J. HAMRICK, County Chairman.

FOR SALE—Piano—Very fine golden oak upright at bargain if sold this week. Ewing McLean. Phone 200.

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EXCELS ALL OTHERS not only in thoroughness of separation, sanitary cleanliness, ease of running and durability, but as well in its great simplicity. THERE IS NOTHING ABOUT THE OPERATION, cleaning, adjustment or repair of a modern De Laval which requires expert knowledge or special tools. NOR ARE THERE ANY PARTS WHICH REQUIRE frequent adjustment in order to maintain good running or to conform to varying conditions in the every day use of a cream separator.



THERE IS NOTHING ABOUT THE MACHINE THAT cannot be taken apart, removed or replaced by any one who can use a wrench or screw driver. In fact, the only tool which is needed in the use or the operation of a De Laval Cream Separator is the combination wrench and screw driver illustrated above, which is furnished free with every machine.

A. G. BROADSTREET GREENCASTLE

Obituary.

William McVay was born Feb. 6th, 1839, and departed this life March 28th, 1914, being 75 years, 1 month and 29 days old at the time of his death. He was the youngest child of a large family and all have answered the summons except a sister living in Iowa, who is 90 years old. During the Civil War, he answered the call of his country and served with honor and distinction. He took great pleasure in meeting his comrades in their annual reunions. On April 27, 1864, he was married to Maggie A. Timmons. To this union was born six children: Adena McVay, Oklahoma; Eva Chism, Bainbridge; Jacob McVay, Indianapolis; Giffie Shepherd and Lora Randolph, Groveland. Emma McVay died in infancy. There are nine grandchildren, and three great grandchildren living. He united with the M. E. Church at Groveland in 1867, and lived a consistent Christian life at all times. He belonged to the G. A. R. and Masonic orders. During his illness he borne up with great fortitude and patience. Loving hands did all they could to relieve his suffering. But God in his great wisdom saw fit to take him home to his glory to be reunited with his loved ones who have gone before.

Ah, the way is shining clearer, As we journey ever nearer, To the everlasting home; Friends who there await our landing Comrades round the throne now standing. We salute you and we come.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Jackson Boyd to Lena Meyers, lot in Greencastle	360
Mary J. Peck to A. Lewis, et al, lot in Groveland	10
R. H. VanSant to M. L. McCumack, lot in Greencastle	1250
Ernest G. Dorsett to M. E. Dorsett, land in Jefferson township	625
Clarence Wright et al to Geo. Rissler, land in Washington township	5000
Arthur Eggers to Walter Eggers land in Jackson township	40
Wm. A. Moser to Samuel A. Blue, lot in Cloverdale	960
Wm. A. Haltom to Ernest G. Dorsett, land in Jefferson township	1525
Leo Smith to Wm. Wendling, lot in Roachdale	75
Frank Allen et al to J. D. Radey, land in Washington township	105
Asa M. Ballinger to C. E. Poorman, land in Cloverdale township	800
Chas. S. McIntyre to Susan I. Newton, lots in Roachdale	1500

ALPHA OMICRON PI ENTERTAINS FORMALLY AT CHAPTER HOUSE

The Alpha Omicron Pi sorority entertained Tuesday evening a formal party at the chapter house in the corner of College avenue and nut street. About 75 guests were present.

The house was very artistically decorated in Japanese style, the room festooned with lanterns, and lighted candles. The chairs were adorned with chain-smiles and cut flowers. A Japanese playlet, "In the Land of the Lotus," was given by the members of the active chapter of the sorority. Two immense parlor were arranged in theatre style and a stage erected at one end of the adjacent room. Refreshments of ice cream, the shape of Japanese fans, with butterfly inserted in the center, and coffee were served. The flowers were Jacqueminot roses, the snow flower.

The party was chaperoned by Mrs. W. W. Sweet, Mr. and Mrs. Fred O'Hair and Mrs. E. B. B. Among the out-of-town guests were present for the party were: Lura Wallace of Wingate, Miss Beck of Delaware, O. Miss Isaacworth of Davenport, Ia.; Roxie Stafford of Albany, Ind.; Laura Albright of Winamac, Ind.; Carson of Frankfort, Ind.; Richards of Evanston, Ill.; and Hunter of Lafayette.

UNCLAIMED LETTERS.

The following letters remain in this office unclaimed for: Bassett, William W. Campbell, Miss Maybel Coombs, George K. Taylor, A. Waddle, John. Williamson, T. E. In calling for the same please "advertise."

W. B. VESTAL, Postmaster.

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